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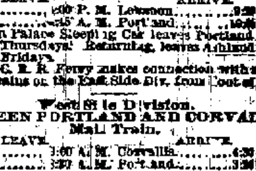

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WASHINGTON.

The Senate Passes the Indian Appropriation Bill.

THE HOUSE REFUSES TO AID GRANT

A Contest for Papers of Andrew Jackson—Randall's Plan for a Navy Adopted in Committee—The Silver Bill—Etc.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The chair laid before the senate a memorial from the legislature of Arizona, urging that certain coal fields in the White mountains Indian reservation be separated from the reservation, and the right of the discoverers thereof be recognized; referred.

The postoffice appropriation bill was laid before the senate, and referred.

After some discussion the senate proceeded with consideration of the Indian appropriation bill. Vest read a letter from the governor of Montana, saying that notwithstanding the relief afforded by the government the condition of the Indians in parts of Montana, from exposure and starvation, was pitiable in the extreme. It was useless, in Vest's opinion, to say, "let the Indian work or die;" that was simply saying "let them die." You might as well say to a child in the cradle, "Go to work or die." We were under much more Christian obligation to these heathens in our own territories than to heathens in Asia and Africa, but no starving Indian had ever been brought to a realizing sense of Christianity. After farther debate Vest's amendment to increase the emergency fund from $25,000 to $50,000 was agreed to.

The anti-foreign labor bill was then formally placed before the senate, but on Dawes' suggestion was unanimously laid aside, to continue consideration of the Indian appropriation bill.

A LONG DEBATE.

A debate arose on the senate committee's amendment, striking from the house bill the provision prohibiting the carrying of intoxicating liquors into the Indian country.

Blair said the only change made by the house amendment was to increase the penalty for breach of the existing law and it should be agreed to.

Dawes said the committee regarded it as general legislation, and felt compelled, in observance of the senate rule, to strike out the provision.

Blair strenuously opposed striking out the provision.

After argument the senate sustained the contention of Dawes, and struck out legislation.

Plumb hoped the senate would not agree to the proposition to strike out from the house bill the section authorizing the president of the United States to negotiate with Creek, Seminole and Cherokee Indians for surrender of their remaining rights in the so-called Oklahoma lands.

Dawes thought the proposition, if in a separate bill and not in the appropriation, would be wise, but it had no proper place in this bill; besides the committee on Indian affairs was expected to investigate the subject at the coming season.

Plumb felt that this question was the most urgent and important that could be considered by the senate. He hoped the house provision would be retained.

VEST ON THE OKLAHOMA TROUBLE.

Vest did not think the spirit of the senate rule would exclude matter germane to an appropriation bill, and strongly urged retention of the Oklahoma clause. It was no secret, Vest said, that a raid was now being organized more formidable than any that ever existed, to go into the Oklahoma country, and Couch had distributed his handbills all over the west, calling for volunteers. Every mail from the west brought to senators the inquiry, "When can we go to Okalahoma?" The other day Vest received a two-dollar bill from a man, who said he wanted him (Vest) to take that money and initiate proceedings to secure him a homestead in Oklahoma. [Laughter.] The man was a newcomer in Missouri, Vest was happy to say, and not an old resident of the state. The last raid had come to an end, in Vest's opinion, more because of starvation than anything else. Had Couch and his men been furnished with supplies, as well as they had been with arms, there would have been a terrible spectacle presented to the people of the United States of armed conflict between troops and citizens. "Let us make no mistake," said Vest. "Men that are going into that country are western men, used to arms. They believe they have a right to go there; they believe a United States court has decided they have that right." Letters from the west are filled with the question: Why is it that cattlemen can go in there and take up millions of acres of the public domain, while a poor man cannot get a home. Vest believed if congress left the question where it was now there would be a conflict in the spring. Vest did not believe this people had encouragement, whatever, for the belief they were said to entertain, that the administration of Cleveland would favor their plan. He, as senator, was prepared to support the incoming administration in following up the course pursued by the last, but he solemnly declared his belief that the provision which it was now proposed by the senate committee to strike out was the only avenue to peace.

THE BILL IS PASSED.

Beck said as there was sufficient authority in the executive to meet any emergency of the character referred to by Vest, and good citizens ought to support the administration, he saw no reason for keeping in this provision for legislation.

On the question coming to a vote the provision was stricken out.

Plumb offered an amendment of somewhat similar tenor to that stricken out, but this, too, was voted down as being legislation.

Consideration of the bill having been completed, Manderson and Miller (California) endeavored, but in vain, to replace in the senate some legislative provisions stricken out in committee of the whole.

The bill then passed, substantially as reported from the senate committee.

Hale called up the agricultural appropriation bill, but at Plumb's suggestion it went over till to-morrow.

Sawyer, from the committee on postoffices and post-roads, reported favorably, without amendment, what is known as the subsidy clause proposed by Frye to the postoffice appropriation bill.

A bill was introduced by Dolph, making Seattle and Tacoma, Washington territory, ports of delivery; referred.

After an executive session the senate adjourned.

House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The house met in continuation of Friday's session, and immediately went into committee of the whole on the legislative appropriation bill. Considerable progress was made in reading the bill.

When the committee rose the house adjourned, and the session of Monday began.

Reagan offered a resolution requesting the secretary of the treasury to transmit information in regard to the range of ranch cattle traffic in the western states and territories, with special reference to the bearings of that traffic on the internal and foreign commerce of the United States; referred.

The senate amendment to the army appropriation bill was non-concurred in, and a conference committee appointed.

THE GRANT RETIREMENT BILL.

Slocum, under instructions from the military committee, moved to suspend the rules and pass the senate bill for the retirement of General Grant. This is the first bill passed by the senate and specifically names the officer to be retired.

Hoar and Warner (Ohio) demanded a second. The motion to suspend the rules was seconded—110 to 72.

The thirty-minute debate allowed under the rules was opened by Slocum in behalf of the bill. This bill, he said, proposed to place General Grant in the same position he would have occupied had he not, in accordance with the will of the people of the country, accepted the office of chief magistrate. In form and language the bill was precisely like all bills passed for purposes of this kind. It has often been said that much has been done for General Grant, but nothing has been done for him by the United States government beyond paying him the salary to which he was entitled by law.

ROSECRANS SPEAKS AGAINST THE BILL.

Rosecrans regarded the bill as a plain proposition to reward General Grant for distinguished military services, and it was his duty to say he could not vote for it. It was not his intention to recount historical reasons why he thought General Grant's reputation had been exaggerated and misrepresented, and when history came to be written it would be pared down to very different dimensions. He did not propose to go into that. It had been to the interest of a great political party to make General Grant's service appear as large as possible, for he was their servant. Grant himself had prepared the first two volumes of a life of Grant, upon which students of history had placed the stamp of untrustworthiness. The public had been told that General Rosecrans would not vote for the General Grant bill because of personal ill will. He did not think any of his colleagues would believe that he was capable of descending to the depth of being governed in public duty by personal dislikes. He did not oppose the passage of this bill on account of any of these things, to which he had alluded, or other things to which he had not alluded, namely, statements made officially by General Grant which were false, which General Grant knew to be false, and which he (Rosecrans) had stated in his official reports to be false. It had been said that General Grant was poor; that there was nothing between him and the poorhouse except an income from $250,000, and it had been circulated around by his family that the $250,000 was substantially lost. That was not true. There was another critical circumstance to which he called attention. Congress, by solemn act, was asked to arrest the progress of public opinion for investigation in that confidence mill called Grant & Ward. Some could afford to avoid that investigation and deceive the public mind; he could not.

THE BILL FAILS.

The motion to suspend the rules and pass the Grant retirement bill was lost; yeas 158, nays 103—not the requisite two-thirds in the affirmative.

The negative vote was cast by democrats who were opposed to General Grant's retirement, reinforced by a number of republicans who, though in favor of the purpose of the bill, were opposed to its form, believing it would place the president under necessity of vetoing a measure which he strongly approved.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Money, from the committee on postoffices and post roads, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill to regulate the letting of mail contracts. It provides, in case of a bidder failing to perform service according to his contract, that he and his sureties can be held liable, the amount of his bond liquidated, and damages be recovered in action. It also provides that no subletting or transfer of any mail contracts shall be permitted, unless the annual compensation under the contract for service shall exceed $5,000, and in no case without consent in writing of the postmaster general.

Dingley and Blount advocated the bill, on the ground that it would prevent repetition of star route scandals. The bill passed.

Efforts made by the committees on naval and Indian affairs to secure night sessions for consideration of measures reported by them met with failure.

Stocksleger, from the committee on public buildings, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill appropriating $200,000 for the erection in Washington of a building for library of the medical department of the United States army; agreed to, and the bill passed.

Slocum, from the committee on military affairs, reported a bill creating the office of assistant chief signal officer; referred to the committee of the whole. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS.

A CONTEST FOR PAPERS OF ANDREW JACKSON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Colonel Andrew Jackson, grandson of the late President Andrew Jackson, who resides at the Hermitage in Tennessee, to-day took out letters of administration upon his grandfather's estate, and immediately, through his solicitors, John Paul Jones and Robert B. Lines, filed a bill in equity, setting forth that the widow of the late Hon. Montgomery Blair and her son, Woodbury Blair, now have possession of and claim to own a large number of very valuable papers relating to the public and private life of General Jackson, and praying an injunction against defendants, to prevent them disposing or publishing any of said papers. It is stated these papers were placed in the hands of Amos Kendall in 1843, with a view to publication of a biography of General Jackson, which he (Kendall) had undertaken to write. The papers were lost for many years, and were found by Colonel William M. Terrell of Kentucky, in 1879, subsequent to the death of Kendall, when they were placed in the hands of Montgomery Blair, "for safe keeping," as Colonel Jackson alleges in his bill. Blair, however, claims they were given to Francis P. Blair, senior, by General Jackson, and it is upon this question that the suit instituted will probably turn. The bill also prays for the appointment of a receiver, pending litigation. Colonel Jackson has retained Senators Harris of Tennessee and Voorhees of Indiana, and Representative Caldwell as counsel in the case.

AWARDED A PENSION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—On July 4, 1865, Captain William Hargrave, of General Stoneman's staff, was proceeding with others in an ambulance to headquarters at Knoxville, to attend a reception in honor of the day. The team became unmanageable and precipitated the ambulance, with the occupants, down a bank, and Hargrave sustained injuries resulting in disability, for which he asked a pension. The pension bureau decided against him, on the ground that the injury was not received while in line of duty, but Assistant Secretary of the Interior Joslyn to-day decided that Hargrave should receive a pension, for the reason that any soldier in going to or from social gatherings, religious meetings or places of amusement, with the assent of his superior officer, does not thereby place himself outside the line of duty.

CONGRESSIONAL NOTES.

RANDALL'S PLAN ADOPTED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—At a meeting of the house committee on appropriations to-night, for consideration of the naval appropriation bill, Randall's proposition to increase the navy was adopted, with amendment. The amendments provide that the board to consider designs shall consist of three civilians, one line officer over the rank of captain, naval constructor, naval engineer, and secretary of the navy; that awards for designs of vessels shall be limited to $10,000 and $5,000; that there shall be but four different kinds of vessels, and that the report of the board shall be submitted to the president before the first Monday in December, and he in turn shall transmit it to congress. The naval appropriation bill will be completed in the morning and reported to the house.

AMENDMENT TO THE SILVER BILL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—An amendment was to-day proposed by Senator Morgan to the anti-silver coinage bill. It strikes out the present provision for suspension of the coinage of the standard dollar, and authorizes the president, on and after April 1, 1885, and in any succeeding month until April 1, 1886, to direct the secretary of the treasury to suspend, in whole or part, the purchase of silver bullion for coinage of standard dollars.

WILL RESIGN HIS POSITION.

ROME, Feb. 16.—W. W. Astor, American minister to Italy, will resign his position at the end of February.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The statement received by cable, that W. W. Astor, minister to Italy, had resigned and his resignation had been accepted, is confirmed by the state department. His resignation takes effect March 1.

COINAGE SUSPENDED.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The coinage of 1 and 5-cent coins has been suspended for the present.

ACCIDENTS.

A VESSEL ASHORE.

CAPE MAY, N. J., Feb. 16.—A brig is ashore on Cold Spring bar, in a heavy sea. The life-saving crews stove their boats in going to the rescue. It is feared the crew is lost. The life-saving crews are awaiting the abatement of the storm.

TWO MEN KILLED.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 16.—Near Conewaugh on the Pennsylvania road yesterday two stock trains collided. Two Chicago drovers were killed and a tramp stealing a ride was seriously hurt.

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DOMESTIC NEWS.

Another Snow-Storm Sweeps Over the West.

MANY TRAINS ARE BLOCKADED.

The East Damaged by High Water—Opening of the Mardi Gras at New Orleans—Schwatka Interviewed—Etc.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—The weather here and throughout the northwest generally is intensely cold. At 8 o'clock this morning in Chicago the mercury indicated fifteen degrees below zero. The weather is clear but the air is filled with little particles of snow that are being blown around by the keen wind which prevails. Trains yesterday were somewhat delayed by snow, but the situation is not regarded as serious by the railroad officials seen to-day. All east and west bound trains are starting out on time. Southeastern lines are subjected to delay. The prospect is not encouraging for warmer weather. Storm signals are flying and a further drop of the mercury is expected. At Omaha it is 18 below, St. Paul 10 below, Des Moines 16 below, Dubuque 11 below, Fargo 28 below, Jamestown 35 below and at Winnipeg 31 below.

Further and later inquiries develop the fact that the Chicago and Alton and the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago, and several smaller lines, are blockaded. The former sent out one train about noon, but expresses little hope of being able to get it through. The Grand Trunk refused consignments of freight this morning. The chief trouble is south and southeast. Trains west and north are nearly on time.

SIX THEATERS CLOSE.

As a result of the railroad blockade six theaters here failed to give performances to-night. The Olympic, People's, Standard, Academy, Lyceum and Criterion were the houses which announced that their respective companies were detained on out-of-the-way sidings and at country snowbanks. Other theaters, notwithstanding the frigid temperature, did a rushing business, on account of the unusually small number of places ready to supply the demand for entertainment.

WIND STORM AT DENVER.

DENVER, Feb. 16.—At 1 o'clock this afternoon a heavy wind storm struck the city, and from that time until 6 this evening it blew sixty miles an hour. Several buildings were partially or wholly unroofed, and a number of plate fronts were blown in. The damage aggregates several thousand dollars. At Monument, fifty miles south, several freight cars were blown from the track. Telegraphic communication in the southern part of the state is interrupted.

MANY TRAINS ABANDONED.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Chicago trains are abandoned out of here, on account of the snow blockade. The Burlington arrived seven hours late. All trains east of the Mississippi river are late. The Wabash, the Illinois Central and the Chicago and Alton are all abandoned.

HIGH TIDE AT NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The tide in North river this morning was higher than it has been in many years. Water was on a level with the docks, and it was difficult for ferry-boats to make landings. Stores along West street, near the river, were all flooded, and considerable damage was done. A heavy rain has been falling all morning, and narrow streets are almost as dark as night.

The storm made higher tides in the North and East rivers to-day than has been known in over twelve years. Along West and South streets nearly every cellar is flooded. All available apparatus for pumping out water has been brought into use. At the Cortwell line pier the superintendent said he never saw such water. At Vesey street the river actually overflooded into the street, and many stands of butchers in the Washington market were submerged. At this place water on West street is several inches over car tracks. Similar scenes have not been witnessed in many years.

RAIN FOLLOWED BY WIND.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The heavy rain storm here to-day gave place to a wind storm in the evening. During the day Theodore Ernest was blown from the roof of 148 Franklin street and killed. Wm. Howe, a cartman, and Samuel Walters, were fatally injured by a flying sign. A large iron shutter of the new Mortimer building fell on the roof of the stock exchange and made a large hole.

Snow and rain prevailed along the Hudson river north of Poughkeepsie, and trains are blockaded by snow. The Hudson and other rivers in the state rose very high and much damage was done. The storm was very severe along the Atlantic coast. At Atlantic City, N. J., $30,000 damage was done. Cape May reports that a fearful storm swept the coast last night and this morning. A portion of the stone bulwark was sent flying across the drive by the raging surf and storm.

At Wilmington, Del., Marie McClafferty was drowned while attempting to cross Squirrel run. The streets of this place are flooded. Similar reports are made from other places.

AROUND TRENTON.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 16.—A heavy rain storm this morning caused the river to rise and great damage to property is feared along the river front. Several mills are closed, owing to water in buildings. Reports from Lambertville, Milford, Frenchtown and other points up the Delaware state that the river is rising, and a fearful freshet is apprehended.

AT NEW BRUNSWICK.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jan. 16.—A terrific rain storm has been raging this morning. The Raritan river is rapidly rising, and there is every prospect of a repetition of the great freshet of 1882.

MARDIGRAS FESTIVITIES AT NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16.—Clear and cool weather favored the opening of the Mardigras festivities. The arrival and reception of Rex came off according to programme, except as to time; his majesty reached the city hall at noon, when Mayor Guillotte surrendered the keys of the city. The procession consisted of infantry, detachments of marines from the United States flag ship Tennessee and the man-of-war Galena, Music, Comedy and her followers on vans, trumpeters, heralds, bearers of the royal standard, a troop of his majesty's men-at arms, and His Majesty Rex, attended by royal continental guards. The procession moved through the principal streets to the levee, at the head of Canal street, where the party embarked on steamers for the exposition. The attendance exceeded anything in the history of the exposition. The main tower was crowded with people looking down the river, eager to catch a sight of the royal fleet. Below in the music hall, and in the vestibule, the jam was so great that locomotion was almost impossible.

SCHWATKA INTERVIEWED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The *Times* has an interview of Lieutenant Schwatka, who said: "I asked for leave of absence in order that I might make explorations of Alaska, under citizens of Oregon. Leave of absence was refused. I suppose the real reason was that the war department was about to send an expedition to Alaska, under command of Lieutenant Abercrombie, and did not want to bring its results into competition with those of civilians—an expedition such as mine would have been. You see there is a regular 'dog-in-the-manger' policy pursued. The department objects to civilians; the navy department objects to the war department, and the coast survey, which is under the secretary of the interior, objects to either, both or all. If one attempts to go where all have equal rights an alliance at once is formed by the other two, and all three unite against the civilian. For some months I have been at work getting subscriptions to stock of a company to put cattle on the Aleutian islands, and make it a business of raising them. There is capital grazing on these islands.

RESCUED FROM AN OPEN BOAT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The bark Lillian M. Vigus, from London, arrived here to-day. She reports that January 25 she fell in with an open boat containing Captain Larsen, the second mate and two seamen of the bark Alfred, from Pensacola January 1 for Liverpool, with a cargo of lumber. The men were in an exhausted condition. The Vigus took them on board and brought them to this port. Captain Larsen reports: Sailed from Pensacola January 1, and experienced very good weather up to January 21st, when we encountered a terrific gale from the west, veering to the northwest, which caused the vessel to strain badly and spring a leak. The gale continued to the 23d, when we were obliged to cut away all the masts and rigging, to keep her from going over on her beam ends. We manned the pumps continuously, without gaining on the leak, the vessel having then fourteen feet of water in her hold. We launched a boat and got ready to abandon the vessel, and had the second mate and two men in her, and got under the vessel's lee, so as to take the remainder of the crew, eight men, on board, but owing to the gale was unable to stay by, and drifted away. We were two days in the boat without water, and had only bread in a bag, which was badly soaked with salt water." Captain Larsen has little hope of ever hearing from the men whom they left on the bark. He thinks there is little doubt that they were soon washed overboard and lost, unless seen by some passing vessel and rescued. The Alfred was 663 tons register, about twenty-five years old and owned in Grageroe, Norway, from which port she hailed.

PACIFIC COAST.

Judge Sullivan Awards Mrs. Sharon Alimony and Counsel Fees

Sharon Declares that he will Fight the Decision—No News from the Buried Town in Utah—San Francisco Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Judge Sullivan rendered a decision on the questions of alimony and counsel fees in the Sharon divorce case this morning, of which the following is a synopsis: "Under the law, as laid down in the code, and the facts as I find them, I deem it an imperative duty to make an allowance to plaintiff for her support and compensation of her counsel. I have heard no argument advanced which would warrant the court in departing from established procedure in cases of this kind. The amount proper to be allowed at this time as alimony and counsel fees has been a very serious question for me to determine. The plaintiff should have a proper allowance, but the amount prayed for is far in excess of the requirements of the case. In view of the plaintiff's present surroundings and difficulties, I think an allowance of $2500 per month is a reasonable allowance. This allowance shall take effect from the date of this application, January 8, 1885, the full sum of $7500 to be paid on or before March 9, 1885, and further sums of $2500 each to be made on the 8th day of April, and of each subsequent month, until further orders of this court. A proper allowance for counsel is $55,000, which sum defendant is directed to pay plaintiff for the purpose of enabling her to prosecute this action, said payment to be made on or before March 9, 1885. Inasmuch as plaintiff's counsel have requested me to make apportionment of the gross sum allowed as counsel, I do so, as follows: To Tyler & Tyler, $20,000; to David S. Terry, $10,000; to Flournoy, McHoon & Flournoy, $10,000; to W. H. Levy, $10,000; and to Clement, Osment & Clement, $5000.

SHARON WILL CONTEST THE RULING.

The *Evening Post* publishes an interview with Senator Sharon relating to Judge Sullivan's decision this morning in the case in which Sharon is defendant. In response to the interrogatory if he would pay the amount ordered by the court, he replied: "I shall neither pay promptly, nor shall I pay at all. My counsel will at once proceed, by writ of error and writ of certiorari, to take the matter before the supreme court, and stop all proceedings till that tribunal shall have made final determination of the case."

To the question whether he thought any compromise could be had, he replied: "There can be no compromise. She is not my wife. My honor and the honor of my children is at stake. I would not purchase peace at any price. I will win peace from decisions by the courts of my country."

Further proceedings for an appeal will be taken at once.

ANOTHER ORDER.

Judge Sullivan this afternoon made an order directing payment of the sums mentioned in his decision this morning in the Sharon case, at the times stated therein.

DYNAMITERS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The *Chronicle* publishes an article to-day in which it claims to have discovered the existence of a brotherhood of dynamiters in this city, numbering eighty-five members. One of the members in an interview stated the brotherhood had sent $700 to O'Donovan Rossa and two agents were sent to Great Britain from this city.

CASE OF LEPROSY.

A Chinese leper this afternoon made application at the morgue to be sent to the pest house. The Mongolian said he was about 40 years of age, and had been cooking in a house until they would not allow him to work any longer. "It is one of the plainest and prettiest cases of leprosy that I ever saw," said Coroner O'Donnell.

SALA EMPLOYED.

The *Chronicle* has concluded an arrangement with George Augustus Sala, who sailed to-day for Australia, by which he is to write a series of letters descriptive of the countries he will visit. He will write for no other American paper.

THE IRON WORKERS' STRIKE.

No important changes have occurred in the iron workers' strike. Molders' apprentices left work to-day in shops where there is a reduction, being called out by the molders' union.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived—Ship Two Brothers, Seattle; barkentine C. C. Funk, Port Discovery; steamer George W. Elder, Victoria; barkentine Makah, Port Discovery.

THE CHINESE MUST STAY AWAY.

ARCATA, Cal., Feb. 16.—Citizens of this city, after compelling Chinese to move outside the city limits, held a meeting and adopted a resolution pledging themselves to use all legal means to prevent the settlement of Chinese in Arcata.

LEGISLATIVE SYMPATHY.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 16.—The senate adopted a resolution to-day expressing sympathy with the movement of striking iron workers in San Francisco.

UTAH.

NO NEWS FROM THE BURIED TOWN.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 16.—Nothing is heard from Alta. Heavy storms prevent the aid movement. A meeting resolved to-night to organize a relief corps. Everybody responded. A party of fifty leave in the morning. Nothing has been heard since Saturday.

POLITICAL POINTS.

CLEVELAND'S CABINET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The *Examiner's* Albany, New York, special to-night says: Definite information has been received that Senator Bayard yesterday informed President-elect Cleveland that he would accept the portfolio of the state department, and that Mr. Manning has consented to go into the cabinet as secretary of the treasury. It has also been decided that Mr. Garland will be offered the position of attorney general. Mr. McDonald will probably go into the cabinet, but this has not yet been definitely determined upon. Vilas will, it is stated by good authority, be offered the portfolio of the war department.

ALBANY, Feb. 16.—There are some people here this evening who profess to know and declare that up to this time President-elect Cleveland has not made a definite selection of any single member of his cabinet. Others insist he has already given the appointment of secretary of state to Bayard. A prominent democrat here to-night predicts the following as the names of Cleveland's cabinet: Secretary of state, Bayard of Delaware; secretary of the treasury, Manning of New York; secretary of the interior, McDonald of Indiana; secretary of the navy, Gorman of Maryland; secretary of war, Thurman of Ohio; postmaster general, Vilas of Wisconsin. Senator Thurman was expected in Albany to-night, but is supposed to be detained by the storm.

THE ILLINOIS DEADLOCK.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 16.—At the joint session of the legislature to vote for United States senator the speaker, as usual, voted for Morrison the only vote cast. It is not believed a regular vote for senator will be reached this week.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE

Drank with Soda Water

is delicious. All druggists have it. It is refreshing and cooling. Try it often!

Dr. Henley's Celery Beef and Iron

Is a fine appetizer and promoter of digestion

FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Three Thousand Idle Men Parade in London.

THEY APPEAL FOR EMPLOYMENT.

War Notes from the Soudan—Bismarck Speaks in the Reichstag on the Question of Increasing Duties.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Great excitement was occasioned to-day by the riotous conduct of a large number of unemployed workmen. Three thousand paraded the streets with banners bearing mottoes of their grievances. Several bands of music accompanied the procession, which marched to a building occupied by the local government board. A committee broke ranks and entered the office, and demanded relief for the people they represented. They wanted immediate employment on construction of municipal work, which they said was needed for the public good. The officials of the board refused the committee, and the crowd became a howling mob. Police attempted to interfere, but were soon overpowered. The paraders then invaded Downing street, and stopped in front of the official residence of Gladstone. They howled and hissed invectives against the government. A cabinet council was being held at the time, and the mob attempted to force their way into the room where the council was sitting. The police at this point received reinforcements and ejected the intruders. The mob then attempted to storm the admiralty and home office, but were driven off and finally dispersed by the police.

A large meeting of unemployed workmen met on the Thames embankment. Resolutions were adopted demanding a reduction of the hours of labor for government workmen, and the construction of useful public works to give employment to the idle.

Mr. Hyndman, chairman of the democratic federation, presided at the meeting of unemployed workmen this afternoon. Cheers for social revolution were given, and violent speeches made. The speakers insisted that railway and other public companies should be forbidden to employ men over eight hours a day. One asserted that Jay Gould had recently defeated a similar measure in New York state, and that he had his prototypes in the Goshens, the Rothschilds and the Brasseys in this country. Some of the policemen drew staves, when the crowd became noisy and demonstrative. The mob, when charged by the police, fled precipitately. Some stones were thrown at the police, and several of them were knocked down during the disturbance. No arrests were made.

MARK LANE REVIEW.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The *Mark Lane Express*, in its weekly review of the British grain trade says: The crops progress favorably. Wheat is 6d a 1s lower. Sales for the week were 58,814 quarters, at 32s 10d, against 52,121 quarters, at 3"s 8d the corresponding week last year. In flour there was sluggish sale, owing to large foreign arrivals. Foreign wheats are inanimate. Prices were nominally maintained, with a tendency in favor of buyers. American maize is quotably unaltered, despite large arrivals. In cargoes of off coast there were two sales, one Californian. There were two arrivals; one was withdrawn, two remain and fifteen are due the current week. To-day there was only a small retail trade in wheat. Values were nominally unchanged. Flour was very slow and rather against sellers.

WARLIKE NEWS FROM RUSSIA.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Some excitement was created to-day, especially in commercial and financial circles, by the receipt of dispatches from Berlin announcing that the Russian government has ordered 2000 Krupp guns for the purpose of strengthening its position in central Asia. The guns are to be of the largest pattern and are evidently intended for service in fortresses. Simultaneously with the above report came dispatches from St. Petersburg stating that Sebastopol is to be made a free port.

CUNNINGHAM REMANDED.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—When the Bow street police court opened this morning for re-examination of Cunningham and Burton, a surprise was occasioned to the public by notices conspicuously posted upon the corridor ways that no person carrying a bag would be permitted to enter the building. In addition to this a notice warned everyone that the police would search any one whose appearance or conduct was suspicious. Cunningham was remanded for a week.

A SCARED SPEAKER.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 16.—Speaker Miller of the senate has issued an order excluding everybody, press included, from visiting any of the adjacent rooms to the chamber, no matter what their errand may be. It is said he is afraid of dynamite.

THE SOUDAN.

CAMPAIGN PLANS.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—General Brackenbury will retain the command of the late General Earle's division. General Evelyn Wood will join General Wolseley as chief of staff, General Grenfeld taking his command. Four thousand Egyptian troops will be echeloned between Assouan and Dongola. Hassan Bey's contingent will join the English forces at Korti.

ANOTHER REBELLION.

News of an Arab revolt in Yemen has just reached London. The Arabs massacred the Turkish outpost garrisons. The governor of Sana massed the remaining 2500 Turks, and appealed to the porte for 4000 reinforcements. The insurgents are incited by emissaries of El Mahdi, who is preparing to make an attack.

WAR NOTES.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The balloon corps has started for the Soudan.

The cabinet to-day considered means to meet the credit for the Egyptian campaign.

A Suakem dispatch announces that the British troops are still extending the fort works.

GERMANY.

BISMARCK IN THE REICHSTAG.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—During the debate in the reichstag to-day on the subject of increasing the duty on cereals, Bismarck said he had reliable data which would warrant his stating that a majority of the reichstag approved a duty of three marks on wheat.

The reichstag to-day agreed to raise the duties on rye and wheat to three marks. The votes were as follows: To raise the duty on rye, for 16 , against 151; to raise the duty on wheat, for 22 , against 113. The increase was opposed by the new German liberals and socialists, supported by the conservatives, imperialists, national liberals and members of the centre. During the debate Bismarck declared it was perversion of historical truth to say duties on corn were condemned by history. Workmen and the poor classes ought not to be excited by such worthless assertions. The suggestion that the bill was intended to benefit the great land owners was wholly unfounded. The small farmer, he said, recognizes more and more that his interests and those of large land owners are identical.

SPAIN.

TERRIFIC POWDER EXPLOSION.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—A terrific explosion occurred in a powder magazine at Gibraltar to-day, killing seventeen men and doing considerable damage otherwise.

A later dispatch from Gibraltar says: Of the seventeen men killed by to-day's explosion eight were soldiers and nine civilians. The explosion occurred in one of the small powder magazines belonging to the fortification.

Dispatches to-night from Gibraltar show that the damage by the explosion reported this morning, was in no respect so serious as first stated. Nobody was killed, but three engineers were seriously injured. The explosion occurred during blasting operations.

SOUTH AMERICA.

TROUBLE IN COLOMBIA.

PANAMA, Feb. 5.—This country is in a complete uproar. Communication with the interior is entirely cut off and regarding the condition of affairs at Bogota during the past month nothing is known. No word has been received from there since January 5. Official bulletins claim the government forces are triumphant everywhere, and the popularity of Dr. Nunez continues undiminished. These reports, however are not confirmed. Later advices state that Hernandez has abandoned his camp and has gone to Garua. Six thousand men are in pursuit. On the 5th the government forces attacked Cucata, and after five hours' fight captured the town. Many were killed on both sides. This is unofficial.

THE WAR IN CHINA.

CHINESE MEN-OF-WAR ATTACKED.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—*Le Temps'* telegram from Shanghai, Sunday, says Admiral Courbet Saturday morning opened fire on three Chinese men-of-war which took refuge in the Ningpoo river. The further result of the attack is not known. A dense fog prevailed at the time.

GENERAL NEWS.

CARDINAL M'CABE'S LAST PASTORAL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A *Herald's* Dublin special says: Cardinal McCabe's pastoral on the dynamiters has created a profound sensation. "The object of this wicked conspiracy," said the pastoral, "is to achieve the independence of Ireland, and avenge wrongs inflicted on that unhappy country in former times. God knows the record of its wrongs forms the blackest page in Europe's history, but savage vengeance is not calculated to win God or the world to the side of that poor and afflicted country which has no more deadly foes than the wretched men who support or countenance schemes so detestable. Deeply as I love Ireland I would gladly consent to a continuation of its greatest sorrows rather than see its redemption worked out by agencies that God and the church anathematize."

A GOOD PLACE FOR CHINAMEN.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—The Chinese residents of Indianapolis wound up their New Year's festivities, which were on a more extended scale than usual this year, with an elaborate banquet at the Second Presbyterian church, for which they provided largely from the products of their native land. About 200 persons sat down to the tables, among them the vice-president elect, Governor Gray, Major McMasters, a number of legislators and other prominent citizens. Toasts were responded to by several guests, including those named, and the programme was varied by several exercises by the hosts in their native and adopted tongues.

NEEDS OF AMERICAN SHIPPING.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The committee appointed to report to the Maritime exchange on the needs of American shipping reported to-day in favor of a measure embracing the features of the French maritime law, to apply to vessels built and owned in the United States. The committee were unanimously agreed that unless the general government can be induced to enact some helping law American foreign commerce must disappear. The exchange adopted the resolution favoring the French law.

PORTLAND'S NEW ARCHBISHOP.

ATLANTA, Feb. 16.—Bishop Gross of Savannah last night was officially informed of his promotion to be archbishop of Portland, Oregon. Archbishop Gross was tendered a reception last night by Catholic societies of this place, at which many were present from other cities.

CLEARING HOUSE RETURNS.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—The managers of leading clearing houses of the United States report total clearances for the week ended February 14 of $716,608,111, being a total decrease over the corresponding week a year ago of 27.6 per cent.

BETTER TIMES.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Feb. 16.—Prospects for business among the rolling mills is very much improved. Nearly all mills have started.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—North Pacific coast, local rains. California, fair weather, except the north portion, local rains.

CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

EXAMINATION OF ROSSA'S ASSAILANT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Yseult Dudley was arraigned in the police court this morning, for shooting O'Donovan Rossa. Rossa was not in court, and the prosecuting officer announced that he had not called him, because there was such excitement about dynamite at the present that extraneous matter might interfere with the orderly administration of justice. Ex-Judge Fullerton and lawyer Butts appeared for Mrs. Dudley, who sat composedly near her counsel and listened intently, but with little evident concern to the testimony of witnesses for the people. When the prisoner was asked by a witness whom she had shot, she said, "O'Donovan Rossa." The witness asked why, and was told by prisoner that she had shot at Rossa because she wanted to kill him. The reason for such a desire was "Rossa was an enemy to my country." The justice consented to fix bail at $5000 for prisoner's appearance before the grand jury. Mrs. Dudley was remanded, pending appearance of bondsmen.

SHOT BY A BURGLAR.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—William Stewart, a retired wholesale grocer, was awakened to-night at his residence, in Dearborn avenue, by a burglar alarm attached to one of his windows. He went out on the veranda, revolver in hand, and catching sight of a man crouching in the shadow, fired a shot to attract the attention of the police. The stranger immediately grappled with Stewart, wrested the weapon from him, and without a word sent a bullet through the ex-merchant's lungs. The supposed thief escaped. Stewart will likely die.

DYNAMITE STOLEN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Eight cases of dynamite have been stolen from the magazine of the American Dynamite company, in Westchester county. Every effort is being made to locate it. As dynamite is not a marketable product the thieves are believed to be connected with socialists or other organization of dynamiters.

RAILROAD NOTES.

COMPLAINT AGAINST JAY GOULD.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—In the supreme court this morning the attorney general filed several informations against Jay Gould and others, who are officials in the Missouri Pacific, Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific, and St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railways, for violation of the provision of the state constitution, which prohibits officers of one railroad corporation from holding office in another, or owning or controlling parallel or competing railroads. The proceedings are in the nature of *quo warranto*, to compel these officials to show why they should not vacate offices they hold in violation of the constitution.

THE FIRE RECORD.

FIRE AT WELLSBORO, PA.

WELLSBORO, Pa., Feb. 16.—Cole's hotel and W. C. Kress' residence burned early this morning, and the Methodist church was badly damaged. Loss, $35,000; insurance, $25,000. Twenty persons narrowly escaped, many in their night clothes only. All lost personal effects.

The Stevens County *Sun* reports the discovery of rich placers at the Little Dalles, twenty-six miles north of Colville. Professor Reilley, J. Hanley and a couple of other old placer miners after a careful prospect and analysis of the deposit, have located the entire east bank of the river from the Little Dalles up stream for a distance of two miles. It is said that in addition to the free gold deposit the black sand carries a great amount of that precious metal undiscernable to the naked eye.

At the Unitarian club Mr. Shippen told a story recently related to him by a Princeton professor, who had just come from an evangelical gathering. A German guest, who was called upon to address the body, did not sufficiently distinguish between the accepted uses of the words "bare" and "barren," and said: "It gives me great pleasure to address these venerable and barren heads."—*Christian Reporter.*

Tom Elliott, a rich young farmer of Dakota, having announced that he would never marry until wheat sold at $1 per bushel, a neighboring farmer, who has a daughter willing to relieve Tom's loneliness, has offered to take his entire crop at $1 a bushel and give him a check for it at the wedding.

"What makes you so late coming to school this morning?" asked the teacher in one of the New York public schools of a tardy pupil. "They arrested a burglar on Fifty-eighth street, and ma sent me to the station-house to see if it was pa," was the reply.—*Texas Siftings.*

Chief Engineer Melville promises to write the name of anyone who will give him $50,000 across the polar continent. Only in Russia can he find names long enough for that purpose.—*Philadelphia Call.*

The Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 17, 1885.

OUR STATE CONSTITUTION.

The resolution to call a constitutional convention has failed in the house. On the whole we can not be sorry of it. Mr. Gilbert, of Marion county, spoke very sensibly on the subject. He said that "a season of hard times had brought to the surface many cranky schemes which ought not to become permanently fixed in the fundamental law of the state," and he "doubted the practical wisdom of any representative body that could be chosen in the present temper of the people."

This was well and seasonably said. The temper of the people at this time is not calm, deliberate, judicial, but the reverse. We are making a transition from old things to new, and are not yet obtained clear perception of the conditions of the change. Introduction of new interests and new forces into the country has wrought important changes in the course of our affairs, and we are not yet accustomed to them. From a variety of causes "hard times" have set in, and there is a common, though extremely erroneous belief that the stress can be relieved by legislative enactments, or by changing the constitution. There is much reason to apprehend that all legislation enacted with this view, and all constitutional amendments introduced to meet it, will be found mistaken efforts. Things will settle presently, and then we shall see what we really want. Prosperity will return after a while, through operation of the natural laws of industry and trade. Never will it return in any other way.

The old constitution has borne us along safely and well. It has given us an economical and efficient government. Its restrictions have kept the state virtually out of debt. It has guarded all rights at all points. It has prevented corporate power from laying its hands upon the state, and making the state its own beast of burden. It has prevented multiplication of offices and payment of excessive salaries, and in short, in most particulars, has been satisfactory enough. If a "poor man's constitution," to suit the "hard times" is what we want, we have that now. The old bridge that has carried us over all these years so safely is still as solid as ever. In all probability it is stronger and better than any new bridge would be, built out of the new growths of timber of these recent years.

After the loose and new-fangled ideas of the present time shall have hardened a little we shall know better whether they are to be permanent or not. After a while we shall know better whether they are fit to become the buttresses of a new structure, or whether they are merely as heaps of sand, shifted this way and that by the ever-changing currents of interest and opinion.

Some amendments of the present constitution might be adopted with good results. One of the most important changes we can think of would be an amendment to create the office of auditor of state. The duties of secretary and auditor should not be in the hands of the same officer. Under the constitution as it is, the same official may now be governor, secretary and auditor; and this actually happened a few years ago. The office of auditor should be an independent one, with direct responsibility. The time for holding the general election might be changed with advantage from June to November. Other changes might perhaps be introduced which would be advantageous, though there is no pressing need of any change at all. Nearly all reasons assigned for calling a convention terminate in the claim that the state ought to be allowed to create a debt. But do the people at large soberly think that it would be well to keep the state out of debt? Extravagance goes with borrowing, and hard times follow it.

A review of the fruit, honey and nut crop of California for the year 1884 shows that that state is making great progress from year to year in supplying a large portion of this country with certain products which in the past have been furnished from abroad. Over 1,500,000 pounds of French prunes and 350,000 pounds of German prunes were raised. Owing to a large crop abroad and the dull times in this country, the orders for these prunes have been slack, and a large portion of them are yet unsold. But since there were consumed in this country in 1883 60,000,000 pounds of German, Turkish and Bohemian prunes, the producers of this cheap and popular article of food in this country have reason to think there is an ample field for the industry and that the time is not distant when a sufficient supply for the country will be produced on this coast. There has also been a very heavy apple crop, and large quantities of apples, apricots, peaches and plums have been dried by hot air. The process of sun-drying and bleaching, however, threatens to work a revolution in the evaporating business, as it produces an article equally as good looking at much less expense. The growing of almonds and walnuts is now one of the established industries, and California promises soon to supply the whole country with these two kinds of nuts. The "seductive peanut" is also raised in quantities sufficient to supply the territory east of the Rocky mountains, and some have been sent further east. But the most remarkable of these products is honey. The total yield of California honey for 1884 was 9,000,000 pounds; nearly one-sixth of the entire product of the Union. The quality has been unusually fine, but the prices have not brought much profit to the producer.

Before the Minnesota legislature convened the Minneapolis *Tribune* said that "the regulation of railroads is always a profitable subject of discussion. In fact, the discussion itself answers many of the purposes of the proposed regulation." Since then all the interested parties, farmers, railroad men, elevator men, millers, and the rest, have met face to face at St. Paul and have argued their case. The farmers have stated their grievances as strongly as possible, and the railroad men and elevator managers have made their defense from the same platform. The newspapers have printed full reports every day and have thus brought the whole state within hearing of the great debate at the capital. The result, as the *Tribune* says, "has been a valuable education of that public sentiment which is itself the best corrective for abuses of every kind. The public has become thoroughly awake to the necessity for free markets and to the intolerable tyranny of a system which subjects a farmer or any other producer to the mercy of a monopoly. On the other hand, public opinion has come to perceive the futility of attempting to prescribe iron-clad rules and rates." Already certain forms of abuse of which the roads have been guilty "are practically done away with, and would doubtless be permanently abandoned, without the aid of any legal penalties whatever, simply through the corrective power of publicity and an overwhelming public sentiment." It is to be regretted that this subject has not been more thoroughly discussed at Salem, for, as the *Tribune* says, "if a corporation is really guilty of monopolistic and unjust practices, it is always more afraid of free discussion than of iron-clad statutes."

At last the French spoliation claims bill has become a law. It has been before congress—off and on—for eighty-three years. The claims grew out of depredations committed by the French upon American commerce during the war of 1793 between France and England. France acknowledged the destruction or detention of 2090 American vessels, all being the private property of American citizens. But France never will pay the claims. The liability of our own government to pay them is placed on the ground that it should have protected its merchant marine. In 1799 the claims aggregated $12,000,000. Since that time others have been added and interest has accrued. At every subsequent congress they have been introduced and some of the most eminent names in American history have been enlisted in their favor. Among these have been Forsyth, Everett, Livingstone, Cushing, Pickens, Choate, Crittenden, Hamlin, Sumner, Clay, Webster, Calhoun, Marcy, Hayne and others. The bill twice before passed congress and was vetoed by Polk in 1846 and by Pierce in 1855. It has now been signed by Arthur.

THE INDIAN QUESTION.

It is now too late to secure a large reservation for the Indians in the northwest, as was contemplated by Calhoun when the Indian territory was formed, but smaller ones can be established, like the one contemplated by Senator Dawes' bill, in northern Montana, and it is simple justice to do so. It is death to the northern Indians to subject them to the change of climate by forcing them into the Indian territory, as is shown in the case of the Nez Perces, and a home in their native land is necessary to their existence.

These reservations, however, should be limited in extent to the necessities of the tribes, and the lands should be allotted to the Indians in severalty. General Miles thinks the Indian question is now in a condition which admits of permanent settlement. He believes that all the tribes are sufficiently acquainted with the tendencies of civilization to recognize the necessity of conforming to its usages, and that if lands were allotted to them in severalty it would take but a few years to make them self-sustaining. Wherever this experiment has been tried under proper conditions it has been found to work well. A few years ago there was no more warlike tribe in America than the Cheyennes. Their terrible raid through Kansas and Nebraska in 1877 is well remembered. They were as fierce as the Sioux and seemingly imbued with a more bitter hatred of their conquerors. Hundreds of these people are now self-sustaining in Montana, and they are among the most contented members of the race in the country.

The coming session of the English parliament promises to be one of the most lively of the last twenty years. A strong party of opposition to the continuance of the present Soudan campaign is being formed under the leadership of John Morley, Leonard H. Courtney and other radical members, and it is probable their attacks may result in an early dissolution of parliament and an appeal to the people by the government. The radical wing of the liberals numbers among its adherents some of the ablest and most vigorous men of England, and their action of opposition will undoubtedly have the effect of bringing about a readjustment of the present parties in parliament. The more conservative of the liberals will join the tories in a new conservative party, while the radicals home rulers and others who favor abolition of the monarchy will constitute a new republican party, opposed to all attempts at further extension of British territory and in favor of a peace policy and republican form of government.

Joseph Cook and Miss Kate Field are both lecturing against Mormonism, and in the main they agree as to the magnitude of its iniquity and the measures to be taken. But on one point they disagree. Mr. Cook thinks he knows more about the subject than Miss Field, but Miss Field thinks she knows more than he does. "I spent nine months there," she says, "and Mr. Cook spent nine days. Which of us is most likely to be hoodwinked. He called together thirty prominent gentiles and apostates and asked them questions, while I took several months for independent investigations." The Springfield *Republican* thinks Miss Field does not make sufficient allowance for Mr. Cook's original omniscience.

A bill fixing a penalty for carrying concealed weapons has been passed by the Texas legislature. This barbarous practice has been broken up in Georgia by a law passed by the last legislature charging $100 to dealers in pistols and revolvers and pistol and revolver cartridges. Rather than pay this additional charge, nine-tenths of the traders have dropped this feature of their business. The effect of the law has been to restrict sales of the obnoxious articles to populous places. The license amounts to a prohibition. These laws denote as radical a change in public sentiment as if the legislators of Kentucky should decide to make the carrying of a concealed flask in the hip pocket a criminal offence.

Those who read of the cold weather in the upper Mississippi valley will readily believe that our climate is not the least of our many blessings. Yesterday the mercury ranged from 15 to 20 degrees below zero in Chicago and other cities, the snow was blown in chilling gusts by the keen wind, and general discomfort prevailed. Here the day was ushered in by a warm rain, followed by a bright, spring sunshine which seemed to fill all animal life with its genial exhilaration. Chicago doubtless has some advantages over Portland, but climate is not one of them.

Rev. Heber Newton declares that the good old orthodox hell is "a dreadful dream of the popular imagination rather than a deliberate official pronouncement of the church," and he denounces it as atrocious madness and a twin sister of witchcraft. If these preachers keep on there will not be much left in this world to live for. You will lose that most comforting thought that the neighbor with whom you disagree will never get his deserts.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* calls the attention of travelers to the attractions of a trip to extend from New York up the Hudson, through central New York to Niagara falls, across the lake country to Chicago thence to St. Paul and Minneapolis, over the Northern Pacific to Portland, on Puget sound to Victoria in British Columbia, and thence eastward to Montreal over the Canadian Pacific and back to New York by Lake Champlain, Lake George and the Hudson.

The movement for closing the saloons of the city on Sundays is a good one, and it ought to prevail. But it will be very difficult to enforce the closing, since custom has so long sanctioned open Sunday saloons. However, it must come, because it is a reasonable and proper regulation. Our western cities will, in time, be brought to the status of eastern cities on this question, and it is well to begin.

The citizens of Eureka, California, a few days ago ordered all the Chinese residents out of the city, and sent them to San Francisco. This action was caused by the accidental killing of a well-known citizen during a Chinese row. The people of Arcata, a small town a few miles from Eureka, have now taken similar measures and ordered all Chinese located there to remove at once outside the city limits.

It is now said that Lamar will be Cleveland's secretary of state. The cabinet if it is to be a consistent piece of work, will consist of confederate brigadiers straight through. The southern confederacy, remember, is now to rule the country.

It is said William Waldorf Astor, minister to Italy, will resign at the end of this month. As Mr. Astor's sole claim to public recognition is his wealth and family connection, the American people will not feel grieved at his action.

The bane of our country has been what Mr. Lowell described as "improvised statesmanship." We seem likely to have a formidable amount of that kind of statesmanship expressed in the legislation of the present session at Salem.

Repeated requests have induced the proprietors of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to send by mail to various lady correspondents, large mounted portraits of Mrs. Pinkham; and now many a household wall is adorned by the familiar, motherly face of the Massachusetts woman who has done so much for all women.

The feeling throughout the United States toward England in her present troubles is—well, what was the feeling in England toward the United States after the battle of Bull Run?—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

Pink gums and mouth and dazzling teeth
And breath of balm and lips of rose
Are found not in this world beneath
With young or old, save only those
Who ever wisely, while they may
Use SOZODONT by night and day.

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WHEN YOUR LIVER IS OUT OF ORDER use Dr. Jayne's Sanative Pills, and you will rationally assist this organ to regain a healthy condition, and get rid of many distressing symptoms.

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Beef and Iron cures dyspepsia and neuralgia.

OLYMPIA ITEMS.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 13.

The probate court was taken up this afternoon in hearing a complaint made by Hon. D. R. Bigelow against an old resident of this city named John McSorley, the charge being that of insanity. Mr. McSorley, who is reputed to be worth from eight to ten thousand dollars, has for a number of years been considered rather "peculiar," especially in the line of matrimony, in which he seems to have had considerable interest, being under the impression that marriageable young ladies were likely to fall in love with him at first sight. His actions caused no little trouble in this community at various times, and there were but few, if any, who could testify to his complete sanity on this subject.

His hallucinations, however, took a different form recently so as to cause him to be considered dangerous. At one time he happened to spy a tame otter belonging to a gentleman in this city, and believing it to be an evil spirit he chopped it to pieces with an ax. The next notable event in his life was the stabbing of Frank Mossman some time ago with a bayonet. Yesterday he conceived the idea that his land rights were being encroached on, and taking a Winchester rifle he drew a bead on some laborers employed by Mr. Bigelow in East Olympia, and caused them to leave off work in a hurry. His threats against the life of Mr. Bigelow were sufficiently strong to induce that gentleman to represent his case to the probate judge, who examined into the matter in the presence of Doctors Ostrander and Steele, and from the evidence adduced it was plain to be seen that the hospital for the insane was a suitable place for the poor man, and he was accordingly placed in charge of the sheriff, to be taken to Steilacoom.

The case might almost be considered a sad one, as the poor man is entirely without friends, and his disease has possibly been increased by living a lonely life in the woods, away from civilization. Of late years he has had a mania for buying up tax-titles, and on the assessment list his name figures quite conspicuously as a landholder.

YAMHILL NOTES.

MCMINNVILLE, Feb. 16.

D. C. Narver has bought the undertaking business of Jones, Hill & Co.

J. B. Gardner, of Dayton, has bought a farm west of here and is moving on to it.

The annual fireman's concert and fair will take place next Friday and Saturday evenings.

Hon. Henry Warren has returned from Salem too feeble to do anything more for us this session.

We are having spring-like weather; birds singing and wild flowers and mosquitos have made their appearance.

The brick block to be built by W. J. Garrison will be twice as large as any of its kind in the city. The lower story will contain four storerooms. The upper story will contain theater and offices. The contract has been let to J. C. Cooper for $9000.

The "hungry and thirsty" have several more postoffice petitions in circulation. The grand scramble has begun in earnest. We will be treated to an inaugural procession here March 4. One candidate, who is bitterly opposed to woman suffrage, has ladies circulating his petition, asking ladies to sign it.

"Having myself been greatly benefited," writes Mrs. E. W. Carpenter, Overlee, Baltimore county, Maryland, "I advised my cook, who was seriously ill from a deep-seated cold, and who had consulted her doctor without relief, to use Red Star Cough Cure, which she did in connection with an external application of St. Jacobs Oil to her side. The change wrought was most gratifying and astonishing. In the morning she was like a new person."

Ella Wheeler Wilcox, the poetess, says she goes to sleep "draped in soft, luxurious gloom." We go to sleep draped in a 65-cent nightshirt. Tastes differ.—*Drake's Magazine.*

Dr. Henley's Celery
Beef and Iron will restore the weak to health and vigor.

MEETING NOTICE.

Attention, Knights!—All sojourning members of the Order of Knights of Pythias, in good standing, are hereby cordially invited to be present at the Castle Hall of Mystic Lodge No. 2, on Thursday evening, February 19, 1885, and join with the members of the order in observance of the anniversary of Pythianism.
By order of the Committee of Arrangements,
D. E. BUCHANAN, Sec.

MARRIED.

At Pendleton, Or., Feb. 10, Robert J. Slater to Margaret E. Furnish, all of that place.

DIED.

In this city, Feb. 16, Mrs. Sophronia G. Fuller, wife of E. B. Fuller, aged 29 years, 4 months and 3 days.
Funeral from residence, corner Thirteenth and Mill streets at 6 A. M. to-day. Remains will be taken to Damascus for burial.

☞ *Advertisements such as "Wants," "Help Wanted," "To Let," "For Sale," etc., will be inserted for 10 cents per line first insertion, five cents per line thereafter. No insertion for less than 30 cents, and cash must be paid at the counter. No bill for collection less than 50 cents.*

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(Telegram.)
YALE, B. C., Feb. 9th, 1885.
To R. D. PITT Portland:—Plenty of work for men who want work. M. J. HANEY.
Gen. Sup't Canadian Pacific Railroad.

Axemen, Rockmen and Laborers for the Canadian Pacific Railroad will require to register on or before Friday or Tuesday, to leave on Saturday or Wednesday, at No. 9 Washington st. R. D. PITT, Commissioner of Deeds for all States and Territories.

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On account of devoting their entire time to the "Manufacturing of Furniture" and "Order Work,"

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ONE SUITE OF ROOMS AT 193 SEVENTH ST., between Yamhill and Taylor. 31tf

WANTED—SITUATION TO DO HOUSEWORK. Apply 109 Sixth, corner Washington st. 17tf

FOR SALE—CITY DENTAL OFFICE AND business for sale. Address DENTIST, care of Oregonian office. 17tf

FOR SALE—ON CARTER'S HILL, A NEAT little cottage and barn, on quarter block. Apply on premises. T. SCOLLARD. 17f2w

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FOR RENT — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED rooms with first-class board at reduced prices; also table boarders accommodated. Apply at 181 6th st. 7tf

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.—A MEETING of the stockholders of the Northwest Publishing Co. will be held at Turn Halle Saturday, Feb. 21, 1885.

A YOUNG MAN (AGE 17), WHOSE EVENINGS are unemployed, wishes a situation in an architect's office. Address K. F., care Oregonian.

MARRIED WOMAN DESIRES GENERAL housework two or three days in the week, or few hours a day. Apply at 25 North Seventh st. 17f2

A SITUATION WANTED BY A COMPETENT woman to do cooking; or would do general housework in a small family. Call at 5 South Fourth.

WANTED TO RENT—A NEAT COTTAGE OF 5 to 8 rooms, with modern conveniences, in S.W. part of the city. Address P. G. E., P.O. box 60, Port'd.

WANTED—WORK BY A BOY; ANYTHING to keep me busy. Apply for J. H., 91 Fifth, bet. E and F. 17f1

WANTED — A SITUATION BY A MIDDLE-aged lady as housekeeper; references given. Apply 61 Morrison street. 17f3t

LOST—SUNDAY AFTERNOON, FROM A PIN, a crown set with 5 diamonds; liberal reward will be paid if left with B. L. STONE, corner First and Morrison streets. 17f2

A RELIABLE GIRL WANTS A SITUATION TO do up-stairs work and assist in care of children; good references if required. Call for three days at 87 Third street, between Stark and Oak. 17f1

WANTED—A GOOD, RELIABLE BOOKKEEPER to take charge of a set of books in a brewery. Apply at KEEGAN'S employment agency. Inquire 229½ First street. Room 6. 17f1

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WANTED—A NURSE GIRL TO TAKE CARE of a young baby and do up-stairs work; references required; German or Scandinavian preferred. Apply at No. 135 West Park st, corner Alder, between 11 A. M. and 4 P. M. 17f1

IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE, CREAM, LIMburger, etc. Kingsmunde Herrings, German Pickles, Sauer Kraut, Pickled Beans, German Smoked Beef Tongues, etc. Assortment of family groceries at lowest rates. Mrs. M. Baum, 86 Morrison, bet. 4th & 5th.

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Block A, 290 feet, water front.
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Lots 1, 4 and 7, block C.
Lot 5, block D.
Lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block E.
Lots 5, 6, and E ½ 7 and 8, block F.
Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, block G.
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And a strip of land of about 1 acre.
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$4500 in notes and mortgages.

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Song.......Looking Back.......Sullivan
Mrs. J. A. Child.
Violin Solo.......Serenade.......Singelée
Edgar E. Coursen.
Song.......Sancta Maria.......Faure
Mrs. Edgar E. Coursen.
Song.......My Heart is O'er the Sea.......Claribel
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TO THE VOTERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 in the city of Portland, Oregon: As I have long served you in the Portland postoffice at small compensation, to the best of my ability, and desiring a change in business, I would like the office of Clerk of this school district, and offer myself as a candidate for that position at the school election in March next. Respectfully, W. L. CHITTENDEN.
Portland, Oregon, Jan. 17, 1885. 18 mh9

SCHOOL CLERK.

I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AS A CANDIdate for School Clerk of District No. 1, at the election to be held March 9th, 1885, and take this opportunity to thank my friends and the voters of the district for their very cordial support last March, and respectfully ask their further support at the approaching election. 19f1mt T. T. STRUBLE.

SCHOOL CLERK.

I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AS A CANDIdate for Clerk of School District No. 1, at the approaching School Election in March next, and respectfully ask my friends and the voters of the district for their support. GEORGE P. LENT.

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REMOVAL—THE OFFICE OF P. BARRY, dealer in sand, has been removed to the foot of Taylor street. 5f12

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Proposals for Subsistence Supplies.

OFFICE OF PURCHASING & DEPOT COMMISSARY,
VANCOUVER BARRACKS, W. T., February 2, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, SUBJECT to the usual conditions, will be received at this office and at the office of the Purchasing and Depot Commissary, San Francisco, Cal., until 12 o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, March 3, 1885, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery within ten days after the awards have been made, the following named articles, of the best quality, in Portland, Ogn., or San Francisco, Cal., place of delivery to be stated by bidders: 2500 lbs corn meal, white; 6700 lbs beans (white) in 100-lb sks; 100 lbs peas, split; 1200 lbs rice "island," in 100-lb sks; 120 lbs tea, English Breakfast in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 50 lbs tea, Oolong, in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 150 lbs tea, Japan green, in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 1200 gallons vinegar (wine or cider) in oak half-barrels, iron hoops, painted. 8300 lbs soap, standard, in 60-lb boxes; 8900 lbs salt, "Liverpool," in 100-lb sacks; 150 cans (3-lb) apples; 1300 lbs apples, dried, in 25 or 50-lb boxes; 250 lbs crackers, soda; 40 lbs crackers, egg; 40 lbs crackers, ginger; 130 lbs crackers, milk; 120 lbs crackers, oysters; the crackers to be in 5 or 10-lb tins; 100 bbls Family Flour; 20 lbs ginger, ground, in ¼-lb tins, 6 lbs to the case; 28 lbs hops in 1-lb pkgs; 72 cans jam, blackberry; 50 cans jelly, currant; 550 lbs macaroni in 1-lb pkgs, 10 lbs to the case; 120 lbs mustard, "Colman's;" 48 bottles mustard, French; 50 qt. bottles oil, olive, 12 to the case; 408 cans [illegible] ches; 750 lbs peaches, dried, in 25 or 50-lb boxes; [illegible] cans (2½ lbs) pears; 96 cans (2½-lb) peas, green American; 250 cans peas, green, French; 96 cans preserves damson; 650 lbs prunes, native, in 50-lb boxes; 1200 lbs salt, table, in 2, 5 or 10-lb pkgs, sampled or boxed; 1050 lbs salt, coarse (stock) in 100-lb sks; 108 bottles (½ pts) sauce, Worcestershire; 1512 cans (2½-lb) tomatoes.

Proposals for less quantities will be received. Samples of all articles must accompany proposals. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Blank proposals and full information as to the quality of stores, character of packages, manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders, and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application. All canned goods to be of the crop of 1884.

Envelopes containing proposals should be marked as follows: "Proposals for Subsistence Supplies," and addressed to the Purchasing and Depot Commissary of Subsistence, No. 36 New Montgomery street, San Francisco, Cal., and for deliveries in Portland, to the undersigned.
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East Portland, Feb. 6, 1885 12f6 A. H. LO

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—NO hereby given that the undersigned public outcry, to the lowest responsible building of a wagon bridge across the near the mouth of the Newaukum river county road crosses said Chehalis river P. M. on the 28th day of February A. D. east door of the court house, in the city Lewis county, Washington Territory, one span of Pratt truss combination, from center to center of end pins, and of 800 lbs per lineal foot, exclusive of without straining material to more than their ultimate capacity. Each contract nish his own detail plans, specifications diagrams. Said bids, detail plans, straining diagrams to be subject to the undersigned, who reserves the right or all of the said bids, detail plans, strain diagrams.
6f20 Bridge

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HITHE ing between Geo. Pope and W. business under the firm name and Redding, has terminated on the 1st day 1885. Geo. Pope will continue the busine gon Wool Exchange warehouse. Terms Portland, Or., Jan. 1, 1885. 1j6f7 G

All outstanding debts now due and to to the late firm of Pope & Redding will be George Pope, who alone is authorized the same. GEO. W. R.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE ing between the undersigned, in the land, Oregon, under the firm name of Bayer is this day dissolved by mutual consent, retiring therefrom. The business here conducted by J. C. Bayer, who will collect due and to become due, and pay all acco late firm. The above business will be co the name of Bayer & Stauch. J. C. BAY
Jan. 28, 1885. 29j1m CHARLES

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Bidders must state the time in which they to complete the work. Bids must be with the specifications, and should be addressed Secretary of the Treasury, and indorsed on one "Proposals for rebuilding the Revenue Richard Rush."

Specifications for the work will be furnish plication to the Collector of Customs at San Cal., and Portland, Oregon.

The Department reserves the right to all bids, and to waive defects if deemed est of the government so to do.
(Signed). CHARLES
16-9-13-17-21-25 Acting Secretary of the T

J. J. Jennings, Oysters, fry and corner Fifth and Washington.

The Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 17, 1885.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Feb. 16, 7:49 P. M.

Place of Observat'n	High Bar.	Ch'ge last 8 H'rs.	Ther.	Wind Direction	R'n fall inch	State of W'th'r
...tland	29.9	—.05	44	Calm	.00	Clo'dy
...mpia	29.9	—.04	39	Calm	.00	Clear
...eburg			50	S	.01	Lt R'n
...Bluff	30.09	—.11	55	S	.00	Clear
...ramento	29.99		56	S	.00	Clear
...ndocino	30.08	—.08	47	NE	.00	Fair
...Angeles			37	Calm	.00	Clear
...oria			42	SW	.00	Clear

...inimum thermometer, 43; maximum, 53.

OUR LETTER-BOX.

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OVERLAND PASSENGERS.

...ssed Medford last night to arrive here to-... A Seaman and family, San Francisco.

BRIEF MENTION.

...chinook prevailed in eastern Oregon yester...

...he president signed the bill forfeiting the ...oria railroad land grant on February 8.

...he county court house begins to look old and ...bby, and some repairs to it are needed.

...he High school alumni gave a most enjoya... reception and ball to the graduating class at ...onic hall last evening.

...he grand jury yesterday returned "a true ...in the case of Frank Howard, charged ...threatening to kill Molly Bardan.

...he case of William Tillard against the West... Union telegraph company for damages was ...sferred yesterday to the U. S. district court.

...he cigar stand of A. McGillis, in front of the ...theater, was closed yesterday by the sheriff ...an attachment in favor of L R. Dawson for ...20.

...T. Merrill, the bicyclist, will give an ex...ition at Eugene City on Friday. He will be ...mpanied by J. Manciet, the champion ...ter of Oregon.

...rs. Ryan, who runs a saloon out on West ...k street, was yesterday fined $10 for disor... ...y conduct, the charge being preferred by ...iceman Hickey.

...Mexican sea turtle, weighing 150 pounds ...g, in front of Fred Ernst's at the Casino, ...ated no little amusement for the children of ...neighborhood.

...he ninth volume of Sawyer's United States ...rt reports for the ninth district, for 1883-4, is ... More than half of the decisions contained ...rein are by Judge Deady.

...he British bark Kincardineshire finished load... yesterday and leaves down to-day. She car... 1940 long tons on 19 feet 7 inches draught ...goes to sea on an even keel.

...he Grismer-Davies combination return here ...t Monday, the 23d inst., and will produce ...alled Back," the melodrama which was a ...at success east and in San Francisco.

...ames J. Jones of East Portland, aged 15, fell ...the river at the foot of M street in that city ...day afternoon, but was saved from drowning ...a young man named Wells Payne, who ...nged into the water to his assistance.

...uit was commenced in the state circuit court ...erday by K. C. Payne against George A. Beck ...East Portland to recover the sum of $1550, ...ged to be due him for money loaned and for ...vices as foreman in Beck's livery stable.

...t the meeting of the Woman's Christian ...perance Union yesterday a resolution was ...sed declaring the wives of the different ...s of the city candidates for the crazy quilt ...w on exhibition in the window of Powers' ...niture store.

...e Busy Bees and Willing Workers at the ...w chapel, corner Sixth and Montgomery ...eets to-night at 7:30 o'clock; a rich entertain...nt followed by a social and refreshments, ...ncert to-morrow evening. The admission to ...h is only 25 cents; see advertisement.

...enj. F. Skeen of Philadelphia, who came to ...e coast a few months ago with two locomo...s for the Canadian Pacific railway, is again ...his city. Both the engines met with acci...ts, one falling through a trestle and the other ...ough a bridge, and are now in the shops for ...airs.

...A bay horse, with a pair of shafts and two ...eels, came running down First street yester... afternoon, colliding with an electric light ...e in front of Woods the hatter's, where the ...imal was taken in charge by a policeman. ...here he started from or who he belonged to ...s not known.

...A band of Second Adventists located at Los ...geles, has notified this section of country that ...world is sure to end this time on September ... 1885. The announcement is made through ...columns of a paper called the *Lost Angel's ...umpet Call*, and the editor was not long ago ...inmate of the Stockton insane asylum.

...A party of hunters visited Sauvies' island Sun... on the steamer Call ope. They saw lots of ...cks but did not bring home many. The Cal... ...pe went up Gilbert river into Sturgeon lake ...d got a lot of hay. The farmers up there ...re very hospitable, and treated the boys on ...ard to egg nog and other good things.

...In the police court yesterday nine Chinamen ...rfeited $10 bail each for indulging in the ...usement of exploding fire crackers at an ...our forbidden by law. Jackson Anderson, a ...ucasian lad of 15 years, who participated in ...lebrating the Chinese New Year, had no $10 ...put up, so was sent to jail for five days. For all ...urs to come he will let the Chinese do their ...wn celebrating.

...H. F. Gullixson & Co. are closing out their ...rpets at cost on account of retiring from busi...ss.

Delicacies.

...Next Saturday, Fred Ernst, at the Casino Restau...nt, will serve turtle steaks; on Sunday, green turtle ...up, steaks and terrapin stew, together with all other ...elicacies of the season.

...Have you seen that 2½ karat pure white diamond, ...ith a job lot of old mine stones, at $55 a karat, worth ...25 a karat, at Carr's Palace Loan Office, 90 First street.

Trunks Repaired
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The Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING FEBRUARY 17, 1885.

OUR STATE CONSTITUTION.

The resolution to call a constitutional convention has failed in the house. On the whole we cannot be sorry of it. Mr. Gilbert, of Marion county, spoke very sensibly on the subject. He said that "a season of hard times had brought to the surface many cranky schemes which ought not to become permanently fixed in the fundamental law of the state," and he "doubted the practical wisdom of any representative body that could be chosen in the present temper of the people."

It is was well and seasonably said. The temper of the people at this time is not calm, deliberate, judicial, but the reverse. We are making a transition from old things to new, and have not yet obtained clear perception of the conditions of the change. Introduction of new interests and new forces into the country has wrought important changes in the course of our affairs, and we are not yet accustomed to them. From a variety of causes "hard times" have set in, and there is a common, though extremely erroneous belief that the stress can be relieved by legislative enactments, or by changing the constitution. There is much reason to apprehend that all legislation enacted with this view, and all constitutional amendments introduced to meet it, will be found mistaken efforts. Things will settle presently, and then we shall see what we really want. Prosperity will return after a while, through operation of the natural laws of industry and trade. Never will it return in any other way.

The old constitution has borne us along safely and well. It has given us an economical and efficient government. Its restrictions have kept the state virtually out of debt. It has guarded the rights at all points. It has prevented corporate power from laying its hands upon the state, and making the state its own beast of burden. It has prevented multiplication of offices and payment of excessive salaries, and in short, in most particulars, has been satisfactory enough. If a "poor man's constitution," to suit the "hard times" is what we want, we have that now. The old bridge that has carried us over all these years so safely is still as solid as ever. In all probability it is stronger and better than any new bridge would be, built out of the new growths of timber of these recent years.

After the loose and new-fangled ideas of the present time shall have hardened a little we shall know better whether they are to be permanent or not. After a while we shall know better whether they are fit to become the buttresses of a new structure, or whether they are merely as heaps of sand, shifted this way and that by the ever-changing currents of interest and opinion. Some amendments of the present constitution might be adopted with good results. One of the most important changes we can think of would be an amendment to create the office of auditor of state. The duties of secretary and auditor should not be in the hands of the same officer. Under the constitution as it is, the same official may now be governor, secretary and auditor; and this actually happened a few years ago. The office of auditor should be an independent one, with direct responsibility. The time for holding the general election might be changed with advantage from June to November. Other changes might perhaps be introduced which would be advantageous, though there is no pressing need of any change at all. Nearly all reasons assigned for calling a convention terminate in the claim that the state ought to be allowed to create a debt. But do the people at large soberly think that it would be well to keep the state out of debt? Extravagance goes with borrowing and hard times follow it.

A review of the fruit, honey and nut crop of California for the year 1884 shows that that state is making great progress from year to year in supplying a large portion of this country with certain products which in the past have been furnished from abroad. Over 1,500,000 pounds of French prunes and 350,000 pounds of German prunes were raised. Owing to a large crop abroad and the dull times in this country, the orders for these prunes have been slack, and a large portion of them are yet unsold. But since there were consumed in this country in 1883 60,000,000 pounds of German, Turkish and Bohemian prunes, the producers of this cheap and popular article of food in this country have reason to think there is an ample field for the industry and that the time is not distant when a sufficient supply for the country will be produced on this coast. There has also been a very heavy apple crop, and large quantities of apples, apricots, peaches and plums have been dried by hot air. The process of sun-drying and bleaching, however, threatens to work a revolution in the evaporating business, as it produces an article equally as good looking at much less expense. The growing of almonds and walnuts is now one of the established industries, and California promises soon to supply the whole country with these two kinds of nuts. The "seductive peanut" is also raised in quantities sufficient to supply the territory east of the Rocky mountains, and some have been sent farther east. But the most remarkable of these products is honey. The total yield of California honey for 1884 was 9,000,000 pounds; nearly one-sixth of the entire product of the Union. The quality has been unusually fine, but the prices have not brought much profit to the producer.

Before the Minnesota legislature convened the Minneapolis *Tribune* said that "the regulation of railroads is always a profitable subject of discussion. In fact, the discussion itself answers many of the purposes of the proposed regulation." Since then all the interested parties, farmers, railroad men, elevator men, millers, and the rest, have met face to face at St. Paul and have argued their case. The farmers have stated their grievances as strongly as possible, and the railroad men and elevator managers have made their defense from the same platform. The newspapers have printed full reports every day and have thus brought the whole state within hearing of the great debate at the capital. The result, as the *Tribune* says, "has been a valuable education of that public sentiment which is itself the best corrective for abuses of every kind. The public has become thoroughly aware to the necessity for free markets and to the intolerable tyranny of a system which subjects a farmer or any other producer to the mercy of a monopoly. On the other hand, public opinion has come to perceive the futility of attempting to prescribe iron-clad rules and rates." Already certain forms of abuse of which the roads have been guilty "are practically done away with, and would doubtless be permanently abandoned, without the aid of any legal penalties whatever, simply through the corrective power of publicity and an overwhelming public sentiment." It is to be regretted that this subject has not been more thoroughly discussed at Salem; for, as the *Tribune* says, "if a corporation is really guilty of monopolistic and unjust practices, it is always more afraid of free discussion than of iron-clad statutes."

At last the French spoliation claims bill has become a law. It has been before congress—off and on—for eighty-three years. The claims grew out of depredations committed by the French upon American commerce during the war of 1798 between France and England. France acknowledged the destruction or detention of 2000 American vessels, all being the private property of American citizens. But France never will pay the claims. The liability of our own government to pay them is placed on the ground that it should have protected its merchant marine. In 1799 the claims aggregated $12,000,000. Since that time others have been added and interest has accrued. At every subsequent congress they have been introduced and some of the most eminent names in American history have been enlisted in their favor. Among these have been Forsyth, Everett, Livingstone, Cushing, Pinkney, Choate, Crittenden, Hamlin, Sumner, Clay, Webster, Calhoun, Marcy, Hayne and others. The bill twice before passed congress and was vetoed by Polk in 1846 and by Pierce in 1855. It has now been signed by Arthur.

THE INDIAN QUESTION.

It is now too late to secure a large reservation for the Indians in the northwest, as was contemplated by Calhoun when the Indian territory was formed, but smaller ones can be established, like the one contemplated by Senator Dawes' bill, in northern Montana, and it is simple justice to do so. It is death to the northern Indians to subject them to the change of climate by forcing them into the Indian territory, as is shown in the case of the Nez Perces, and a home in their native land is necessary to their existence.

These reservations, however, should be limited in extent to the necessities of the tribes, and the lands should be allotted to the Indians in severalty. General Miles thinks the Indian question is now in a condition which admits of permanent settlement. He believes that all the tribes are sufficiently acquainted with the tendencies of civilization to recognize the necessity of conforming to its usages, and that if lands were allotted to them in severalty it would take but a few years to make them self-sustaining. Wherever this experiment has been tried under proper conditions it has been found to work well. A few years ago there was no more warlike tribe in America than the Cheyennes. Their terrible raid through Kansas and Nebraska in 1877 is well remembered. They were as fierce as the Sioux and seemingly imbued with a more bitter hatred of their conquerors. Hundreds of these people are now self-sustaining in Montana, and they are among the most contented members of the race in the country.

The coming session of the English parliament promises to be one of the most lively of the last twenty years. A strong party of opposition to the continuance of the present Soudan campaign is being formed under the leadership of John Morley, Leonard H. Courtney and other radical members, and it is probable their attacks may result in an early dissolution of parliament and an appeal to the people by the government. The radical wing of the liberals numbers among its adherents some of the ablest and most vigorous men of England, and their action of opposition will undoubtedly have the effect of bringing about a readjustment of the present parties in parliament. The more conservative of the liberals will join the tories in a new conservative party, while the radicals, home rulers and others, who favor abolition of the monarchy will constitute a new republican party, opposed to all attempts at further extension of British territory and in favor of a peace policy and republican form of government.

Joseph Cook and Miss Kate Field are both lecturing against Mormonism, and in the main they agree as to the magnitude of its iniquity and the measures to be taken. But on one point they disagree. Mr. Cook thinks he knows more about the subject than Miss Field, but Miss Field thinks she knows more than he does. "I spent nine months there," she says, "and Mr. Cook spent nine days. Which of us is most likely to be hoodwinked? He called together thirty prominent gentiles and apostates and asked them questions, while I took several months for independent investigations." The Springfield *Republican* thinks Miss Field does not make sufficient allowance for Mr. Cook's original omniscience.

A bill fixing a penalty for carrying concealed weapons has been passed by the Texas legislature. This barbarous practice has been broken up in Georgia by a law passed by the last legislature charging $100 to dealers in pistols and revolvers and pistol and revolver cartridges. Rather than pay this additional charge, nine-tenths of the traders have dropped this feature of their business. The effect of the law has been to restrict sales of the obnoxious articles to populous places. The license amounts to a prohibition. These laws denote as radical a change in public sentiment as if the legislators of Kentucky should decide to make the carrying of a concealed flask in the hip pocket a criminal offence.

Those who read of the cold weather in the upper Mississippi valley will readily believe that our climate is not the least of our many blessings. Yesterday the mercury ranged from 15 to 20 degrees below zero in Chicago and other cities, the snow was blown in chilling gusts by the keen wind, and general discomfort prevailed. Here the day was ushered in by a warm rain, followed by a bright spring sunshine which seemed to fill all animal life with its genial exhilaration. Chicago doubtless has some advantages over Portland, but climate is not one of them.

Rev. Heber Newton declares that the good old orthodox hell is "a dreadful dream of the popular imagination rather than a deliberate official pronouncement of the church," and he denounces it as atrocious madness and a twin sister of witchcraft. If these preachers keep on there will not be much left in this world to live for. You will lose that most comforting thought that the neighbor with whom you disagree will never get his deserts.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* calls the attention of travelers to the attractions of a trip to extend from New York up the Hudson, through central New York to Niagara falls, across the lake country to Chicago, thence to St. Paul and Minneapolis, over the Northern Pacific to Portland, on Puget sound to Victoria in British Columbia, and thence eastward to Montreal over the Canadian Pacific and back to New York by Lake Champlain, Lake George and the Hudson.

The movement for closing the saloons of the city on Sundays is a good one, and it ought to prevail. But it will be very difficult to enforce the closing, since custom has so long sanctioned open Sunday saloons. However, it must come, because it is a reasonable and proper regulation. Our western cities will, in time, be brought to the status of eastern cities on this question, and it is well to begin.

The citizens of Eureka, California, a few days ago ordered all the Chinese residents out of the city, and sent them to San Francisco. This action was caused by the accidental killing of a well-known citizen during a Chinese row. The people of Arcata, a small town a few miles from Eureka, have now taken similar measures and ordered all Chinese located there to remove at once outside the city limits.

It is now said that Bayard will be Cleveland's secretary of state. The cabinet if it is to be a consistent piece of work will consist of confederate brigadiers straight through. The southern confederacy, remember, is now to rule the country.

It is said William Waldorf Astor, minister to Italy, will resign at the end of this month. As Mr. Astor's sole claim to public recognition is his wealth and family connection, the American people will not feel grieved at his action.

The bane of our country has been what Mr. Lowell described as "improvised statesmanship." We seem likely to have a formidable amount of that kind of statesmanship expressed in the legislation of the present session at Salem.

Repeated requests have induced the proprietors of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to send by mail to various lady correspondents, large mounted portraits of Mrs. Pinkham; and now many a household wall is adorned by the familiar, motherly face of the Massachusetts woman who has done so much for all women.

The feeling throughout the United States toward England in her present troubles is—well, what was the feeling in England toward the United States after the battle of Bull Run?—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

Pink gums and mouth and dazzling teeth
And breath of balm and lips of rose
Are found not in this world beneath
With young or old, save only those
Who ever wisely, while they may
Use SOZODONT by night and day.

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Beef and Iron cures dyspepsia and neuralgia.

OLYMPIA ITEMS.

OLYMPIA, Feb. 13.

The probate court was taken up this afternoon in hearing a complaint made by Hon. D. R. Bigelow against an old resident of this city named John McSorley, the charge being that of insanity. Mr. McSorley, who is reputed to be worth from eight to ten thousand dollars, has for a number of years been considered rather "peculiar," especially in the line of matrimony, in which he seems to have had considerable interest, being under the impression that marriageable young ladies were likely to fall in love with him at first sight. His actions caused no little trouble in this community at various times, and there were but few, if any, who could testify to his complete sanity on this subject.

His hallucinations, however, took a different form recently so as to cause him to be considered dangerous. At one time he happened to spy a tame otter belonging to a gentleman in this city, and believing it to be an evil spirit he chopped it to pieces with an ax. The next notable event in his life was the stabbing of Frank Mossman some time ago with a bayonet. Yesterday he conceived the idea that his land rights were being encroached on and taking a Winchester rifle he drew a bead on some laborers employed by Mr. Bigelow in East Olympia, and caused them to leave off work in a hurry. His threats against the life of Mr. Bigelow were sufficiently strong to induce that gentleman to represent his case to the probate judge, who examined into the matter in the presence of Doctors Ostrander and Steele, and from the evidence adduced it was plain to be seen that the hospital for the insane was a suitable place for the poor man, and he was accordingly placed in charge of the sheriff, to be taken to Steilacoom.

The case might almost be considered a sad one, as the poor man is entirely without friends, and his disease has possibly been increased by living a lonely life in the woods, away from civilization. Of late years he has had a mania for buying up tax-titles, and on the assessment list his name figures quite conspicuously as a landholder.

YAMHILL NOTES.

McMINNVILLE, Feb. 16.

D. C. Narver has bought the undertaking business of Jones, Hill & Co.

J. B. Gardner, of Dayton, has bought a farm west of here and is moving on to it.

The annual fireman's concert and fair will take place next Friday and Saturday evenings.

Hon. Henry Warren has returned from Salem too feeble to do anything more for us this session.

We are having spring-like weather; birds singing and wild flowers and mosquitos have made their appearance.

The brick block to be built by W. J. Garrison will be twice as large as any of its kind in the city. The lower story will contain four storerooms. The upper story will contain theater and offices. The contract has been let to J. C. Cooper for $9000.

The "hungry and thirsty" have several more postoffice petitions in circulation. The grand scramble has begun in earnest. We will be treated to an inaugural procession here March 4. One candidate, who is bitterly opposed to woman suffrage, has ladies circulating his petition, asking ladies to sign it.

"Having myself been greatly benefited," writes Mrs. E. W. Carpenter, Overlea, Baltimore county, Maryland, "I advised my cook, who was seriously ill from a deep-seated cold and who had consulted her doctor without relief, to use Red Star Cough Cure, which she did in connection with an external application of St. Jacobs Oil to her side. The change wrought was most gratifying and astonishing. In the morning she was like a new person."

Ella Wheeler Wilcox, the poetess, says she goes to sleep "draped in soft, luxurious gloom." We go to sleep draped in a 65-cent nightshirt. Tastes differ.—*Drake's Magazine.*

Dr. Henley's Celery
Beef and Iron will restore the weak to health and vigor.

MEETING NOTICE.

Attention, Knights!—All sojourning members of the Order of Knights of Pythias, in good standing, are hereby cordially invited to be present at the Castle Hall of Mystic Lodge No. 2, on Thursday evening, February 19, 1885, and join with the members of the order in observance of the anniversary of Pythianism.
By order of the Committee of Arrangements,
D. E. BUCHANAN, Sec.

MARRIED.

At Pendleton, Or., Feb. 16, Robert J. Slater to Margaret E. Furnish, all of that place.

DIED.

In this city, Feb. 16, Mrs. Sophronia G. Fuller, wife of E. B. Fuller, aged 28 years, 4 months and 3 days.
Funeral from residence, corner Thirteenth and Mill streets at 6 A. M. to-day. Remains will be taken to Damascus for burial.

☞ *Advertisements such as "Wants," "Help Wanted," "To Let," "For Sale," etc., will be inserted for 10 cents per line first insertion, five cents per line thereafter. No insertion for less than 30 cents, and cash must be paid at the counter. No bill for collection less than 50 cents.*
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Gen. Sup't Canadian Pacific Railroad.
Axemen, Rockmen and Laborers for the Canadian Pacific Railroad will require to register on or before Friday or Tuesday, to leave on Saturday or Wednesday, at No. 9 Washington st. R. D. PITT, Commissioner of Deeds for all States and Territories.

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At Cost.

On account of devoting their entire time to the "Manufacturing of Furniture" and "Order Work,"
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WILL SELL THEIR IMMENSE STOCK,
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AT COST,
For the Next Sixty Days, to Close Out their Retail Business.
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GRAND
Instrumental and Vocal Concert
TUESDAY EVENING, FEB. 17th.
NEW MARKET THEATER.
Single Tickets for sale at music store of Simon Harris, 49 First street.
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WANTED—SITUATION TO DO HOUSEWORK. Apply 109 Sixth, corner Washington st. 171

FOR SALE—CITY DENTAL OFFICE AND business for sale. Address DENTIST, care of Oregonian office. 1711

FOR SALE—ON CARTER'S HILL A NEAT little cottage and barn on quarter block. Apply on premises. T. SCOLLARD.

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MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.—A MEETING of the stockholders of the Northwest Publishing Co. will be held at Turn Halle Saturday, Feb. 21, 1885.

A YOUNG MAN (AGE 17), WHOSE EVENINGS are unemployed, wishes a situation in an architect's office. Address K. F., care Oregonian. 1712

MARRIED WOMAN DESIRES GENERAL housework two or three days in the week, or few hours a day. Apply at 25 North Seventh st. 1712

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Lot 1, block D.
Lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block F.
Lots 1, 5, 6 and E ½ 7 and 8, block F.
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When the above is sold, I will then lease my farm, adjoining East Portland, in ten and fifteen-acre tracts, for terms of five or eight years.
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Portland, Oregon, Jan. 17, 1885.

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I HEREBY ANNOUNCE MYSELF AS A CANDIdate for School Clerk of District No. 1, at the election to be held March 9th, 1885, and take this opportunity to thank my friends and the voters of the district for their very cordial support last March, and respectfully ask their further support at the approaching election. T. T. STRUBLE.

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SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, SUBJECT to the usual conditions, will be received at this office and at the office of the Purchasing and Depot Commissary, San Francisco, Cal., until 12 o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, March 3, 1885, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery, within ten days after the award is have been made, the following named articles, of the best quality, in Portland, Or., or San Francisco, Cal., place of delivery to be stated by bidders: 2500 lbs corn meal, white; 10000 lbs beans (white) in 100-lb sks; 100 lbs peas, split; 4200 lbs rice, "island," in 100-lb sks; 120 lbs tea, English Breakfast, in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 50 lbs tea, Oolong, in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 150 lbs tea, Japan green, in 5 or 10-lb caddies; 1200 gallons vinegar (wine or cider) in oak half-barrels, iron hoops, painted; 8300 lbs soap, standard, in 60-lb boxes; 8000 lbs salt, Liverpool, in 100-lb sacks; 120 cans (3-lb) apples; 1300 lbs apples, dried in 25 or 50-lb boxes; 250 lbs crackers, soda; 40 lbs crackers, egg; 40 lbs crackers, ginger; 130 lbs crackers, milk; 120 lbs crackers, oysters; the crackers to be in 5 or 10-lb tins. 100 bbls Family Flour; 30 lbs ginger, ground, in ¼-lb tins, 8 lbs to the case; 28 lbs hops in 1-lb pkgs; 12 cans jam, blackberry; 96 cans jelly, currant; 70 lbs maccaroni in 1-lb pkgs, 10 lbs to the case; 20 lbs mustard, "Colman's"; 48 bottles mustard, French; 24 qt. bottles oil, olive, 12 to the case; 408 cans (2½-lb) peaches; 750 lbs peaches, dried, in 25 or 50-lb boxes; 24 cans (2½-lb) pears; 96 cans (2½-lb) peas, green, American; 200 cans peas, green, French; 200 cans preserved, damson; 650 lbs prunes, native, in 50-lb boxes; 1200 lbs salt, table, in 3, 5 or 10-lb pkgs, granulated or boxed; 7500 lbs sugar, coarse (stock) in 100-lb sks; 108 bottles (½ pts) sauce, Worcestershire; 1512 cans (2½-lb) tomatoes.
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.— hereby given that the undersigned public outcry to the lowest responsible building of a wagon bridge across the near the mouth of the Newaukum river, county road crosses said Chehalis river, P. M. on the 28th day of February A. D. east door of the court house in the city of Lewis county, Washington Territory, said one span of Pratt truss combination, from center to center of end pins, and of 800 lbs per lineal foot, exclusive of without straining material to more than their ultimate capacity. Each contractor nish his own detail plans, specifications diagrams. Said bids, detail plans, and straining diagrams to be subject to the the undersigned, who reserves the right to er all of the said bids, detail plans, strain diagrams. J. 6f20 Bridge Com

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DISSOLUTION.—THE COPART... heretofore existing between J. Matlock and A. F. Logan, under the firm name of ... Matlock. ... The business ... be conducted by H. D. McGuire and ... under the firm name of Logan & McGuire ... claims against the late firm will please ... at once. H. D. McGUIRE. Feb. 10, 1885. A. F. LOGAN.

TO CONTRACTORS.—NOTICE IS given that the undersigned will let ... to the lowest responsible bidder, ... wagon bridge across the Chehalis river ... of the Newaukum river, where the ... crosses the Chehalis river, ... 28th day of February A. D. 1885, at the ... court house, in the city of Chehalis, ... Washington Territory ... said bridge to be ... truss combination, 165 feet in length ... center of end piers, and to carry a ... load of ... materials ... capacity. Each contractor may ... detail plans, specifications and ... all bids ... to be subject to the approval of ... who reserves the right to reject ... J. H. LONG, Bridge Commissioner.

PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXIST... Geo. Pope and W. S. Redding, doing ... the firm name and style of Pope & ... terminated on the 1st day of January ... will continue the business at the ... Terminal block. ... Jan. 1, 1885. GEO. POPE.
... debts now due and to become due ... of Pope & Redding will be collected by ... who alone is authorized to receipt for ... GEO. POPE. W. S. REDDING.

PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXIST... in the city of Portland under the firm name of Bayer & Stauch ... dissolved by mutual consent ... Stauch ... C. Baye... who will collect all ... come due and pay all accounts of the ... above business will be continued under ... Bayer & Stauch. A. C. BAYER. CHARLES STAUCH.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.
ON (LATE OF McCRAKEN & MA... successor to H. Abraham), wholesale commission merchant, Nos. 2 and 4 North ... Or.
OR, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL ... dealer in ship stores, garden and grass ... and domestic fruits, etc., N. E. cor. Front ... Portland, Or.
... COMMISSION MERCHANT, ... foreign and domestic ... and canned fruits, nuts, figs, dates and ... Consignments of Oregon ... produce solicited.
BRO., 11 FRONT STREET, FARM ... produce a specialty.
BEEBE, SHIP CHANDLERY AND ... 16 N. Front st., Portland, Or.
LEWIS, COMMISSION AND PRODUCE ... Front and D Sts., Portland, Or.
... GENERAL COMMISSION MER... produce dealer, 142 Front street.
YOUNG & CO., SHIP BROKERS AND ... Warehouse; agents for San Juan Lime Co. 3 Front street, cor. Ash st.
WEST—(J. C. MILLER, W. H. WEST) ... commission merchants ... general and dairy produce ... st., between Washington and Stark.
... & CO., SHIPPING AND COM... merchants, specialties—wheat, flour, ... etc., N. W. cor. Front and Ash sts.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
... RESIDENCE COR. N. EIGH... Office Second and ...
... HOMEOPATH STAND SUR... Thirl and Morrison.
... VETERINARY SURGEON ... of Ontario Veterinary College. Office ... stable cor. Fifth and Taylor.

PORTLAND SODA WORKS.
... & ST. LOUIS—SODA AND MIN... 93 and 95 Oak st., cor. Fifth; tele... Portland Or.

MACHINERY & ENGINES, BOILERS, ETC.
BOWEN, SAN FRANCISCO, AND ... Portland, Or. We have manufactured ... of this class of machinery in use on ... our long experience and valuable ... to fully supply the wants of mill men.

TRUNKS AND VALISES.
... STEIN & CO., WHOLESALE DEALERS ... street.

SADDLERY.
... SADDLERY HARNESS, HARD... Front st., Portland, O.

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS.
... SHU & WOODARD, ESTABLISHED ... Portland, Or.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.
LEWIS, WHOLESALE GROCERS, COR. ... and D sts., Portland, Or.
MACLEAY WHOLESALE GROCERS ... Commission Merchants, 24 and 26 Front st.
ELLIOTT, WHOLESALE GROCERS, ... and Commission Merchants, Nos. 44 ... Portland, Or.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.
BRADLEY & CO., SUCCESSORS TO ... Doheny, 165 Front, bet. Washington and ... Leather and Findings. Shoe store supplies.

MERCHANDISE BROKERAGE.
... OLSEY, COMMISSION AND MER... broker, ge. cor. First and A, Portland.

MINING MACHINERY.
... ACY, MILL, RAILWAY & MA... supplies a specialty. 66 North Front st.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
... L. COHEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW ... Public, room Kamm building, N. E. cor. ... streets, Portland, Or.

FARM MACHINERY.
... CO., 186 AND 190 FRONT STREET ... Threshers, Horse Powers, Saw ... Traction and Stationary Engines & ...
... THERS IMPLEMENT COMPANY ... dealers in farm and mill machinery ... Portland, Or.
... CO., SOLE AGENTS BUCKEYE ... reaper, Carson Pitts Thresher, Haines' ... Wagons; Front, First and Vine sts.
... RELL & CO., WHOLESALE FARM ... and dealers in agricultural imple... spring wagons, buggies, carriages ... and stationary engines, saw mills and ... machinery a specialty; rubber and leather ...

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS.
... HAWGOOD, CIVIL ENGINEER, Assoc. M. Inst. C. E. Building, 19 Washington St., Portland, Oregon.

MACHINISTS.
... WOLFF, MACHINISTS, CORNER ... Housework doors, railings, iron ... machinery of all descriptions; planing ... to order.

SAW-TOOTH SAWS.
... BOWEN, SAN FRANCISCO, AND ... Portland, Or., sole agents for the origin... Saw, now made with our patent ... segments which places it far in the ... imitations.

SAILS, FLAGS AND TENTS.
... SAIL, FLAG AND TENT MAKER ... Front st., Portland, Or.

COLORS AND VARNISHES.
... NNE & CO., PAINTS, OILS, COL... Brushes, 42 Front st., Portland, ...

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS.
... COWELL & CO., IMPORTERS ... st., Portland, Or.

... AND ENGINE BUILDERS.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT ... January 28, 1885. ... PROPOSALS FOR REBUILDING THE ... steamer Richard Rush, including new ... will be received at the Department ... M. of The day March 1, 1885, ... date the time within which they will agree ... work. It must be in accordance ... tions, and should be addressed to the ... Treasury, and endorsed on the envel... "for rebuilding the Revenue steamer ..."
... of the work will be furnished on ap... collector of customs at San Francisco, ... Oregon ... reserve the right to reject any or ... waive defects if deemed for the inter... ment so to do. CHARLES E. COON, ... Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

...ings, Oysters, Fish, Poultry and Game, ... and Washington.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Feb. 16, 7:49 P. M.

Place of Observat'n.	Hig't of Bar.	Ch'ge last 8 H'rs.	Ther.	Wind Direction.	R'in fall inch	State of W'th'r
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ympia	29.94	—01	39	Calm	.00	Clear
seburg	....	....	50	S	.01	Lt R'n
ed Bluff	30.00	—11	55	S	.00	Clear
acramento	29.99	—11	56	S	.00	Clear
endocino	30.18	—08	47	NE	.00	Fair
t. Angeles	....	....	37	Calm	.00	Clear
toria	....	....	42	SW	.00	Clear

Minimum thermometer, 43; maximum, 53.

OUR LETTER-BOX.

An X....Abner....Beta....B M B....C E, 2....Dom, 6....D D V....G B....Max, 3....O L M....R K, 4....Reuben, 2....S S S....S T V, 3....W H....V D, 2.

OVERLAND PASSENGERS.

Passed Medford last night to arrive here to-day: A Seaman and family, San Francisco.

BRIEF MENTION.

A chinook prevailed in eastern Oregon yesterday.

The president signed the bill forfeiting the Astoria railroad land grant on February 8.

The county court house begins to look old and shabby, and some repairs to it are needed.

The High school alumni gave a most enjoyable reception and ball to the graduating class at Masonic hall last evening.

The grand jury yesterday returned "a true bill" in the case of Frank Howard, charged with threatening to kill Molly Berdan.

The case of William Tillard against the Western Union telegraph company for damages was transferred yesterday to the U. S. district court.

The cigar stand of A. McGillis, in front of the New Market theater, was closed yesterday by the sheriff on an attachment in favor of L. R. Dawson for $7.20.

F. T. Merrill, the bicyclist, will give an exhibition at Eugene City on Friday. He will be accompanied by J. Manclet, the champion skater of Oregon.

Mrs. Ryan, who runs a saloon out on West Park street, was yesterday fined $10 for disorderly conduct, the charge being preferred by Policeman Hickey.

A Mexican sea turtle weighing 150 pounds, lying in front of Fred Ernst's at the Casino, created no little amusement for the children of the neighborhood.

The ninth volume of Sawyer's United States court reports for the ninth district, for 1883-4, is out. More than half of the decisions contained therein are by Judge Deady.

The British bark Kincardineshire finished loading yesterday and leaves down to-day. She carries 1940 long tons on 19 feet 7 inches draught and goes to sea on an even keel.

The Grismer-Davies combination return here next Monday, the 23d inst., and will produce "Called Back," the melodrama which was a great success east and in San Francisco.

James J. Jones of East Portland, aged 15, fell into the river at the foot of M street in that city Sunday afternoon, but was saved from drowning by a young man named Wells Payne, who plunged into the water to his assistance.

Suit was commenced in the state circuit court yesterday by K. C. Payne against George A. Beck of East Portland to recover the sum of $1530, alleged to be due him for money loaned and for services as foreman in Beck's livery stable.

At the meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union yesterday a resolution was passed declaring the wives of the different ministers of the city candidates for the crazy quilt now on exhibition in the window of Powers' furniture store.

The Busy Bees and Willing Workers at the new chapel corner Sixth and Montgomery streets to-night at 7:30 o'clock; a rich entertainment followed by a social and refreshments. Concert to-morrow evening. The admission to each is only 25 cents; see advertisement.

Ben. F. Skeen of Philadelphia, who came to this coast a few months ago with two locomotives for the Canadian Pacific railway, is again in this city. Both the engines met with accidents, one falling through a trestle and the other through a bridge, and are now in the shops for repairs.

A bay horse, with a pair of shafts and two wheels, came running down First street yesterday afternoon, colliding with an electric light pole in front of Woods the hatter's, where the animal was taken in charge by a policeman. Where he started from or who he belonged to was not known.

A band of Second Adventists located at Los Angeles, has notified this section of country that the world is sure to end this time on September 8, 1885. The announcement is made through the columns of a paper called the *Lost Angel's Trumpet Call*, and the editor was not long ago an inmate of the Stockton insane asylum.

A party of hunters visited Sauvies' island Sunday on the steamer Calliope. They saw lots of ducks but did not bring home many. The Calliope went up Gilbert river into Sturgeon lake and got a lot of hay. The farmers up there were very hospitable, and treated the boys on board to egg nog and other good things.

In the police court yesterday nine Chinamen forfeited $10 bail each for indulging in the amusement of exploding fire crackers at an hour forbidden by law. Jackson Anderson, a Caucasian lad of 15 years, who participated in celebrating the Chinese New Year, had no $10 to put up, so was sent to jail for five days. For all future to come he will let the Chinese to their own celebrating.

H. F. Gullixson & Co. are closing out their carpets at cost on account of retiring from business.

Delicacies.
Next Saturday, Fred Ernst, at the Casino Restaurant, will serve turtle steaks; on Sunday, green turtle soup, steaks and terrapin stew, together with all other delicacies of the season.

Have you seen that 2½ karat pure white diamond, with a job lot of old mine stones, at $55 a karat, worth $75 a karat, at Carr's Palace Loan Office, 90 First street.

Trunks Repaired
At HARR & Co's, First street, near Pine.

"Dexter," by the author of "House on the Marsh," Edward Dekum & Co's, 49 Washington st.

CITY NOTICES.

Prentice's Music Store.

Go to Keith's for oysters.

Cash butcher choice cuts; Duffy, First and Jefferson.

WISDOM'S PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY. — First and Stark streets.

PIONEER WOOD YARD—At the old stand, foot of Morrison street.

Barboy, the locksmith and sewing machine repairer, has 24 Yamhill.

Steinway & Sons' pianos—best in the world. H. Sinsheimer, agent, 214 First street.

For a good bed and a nice meal go to the Oregon Hotel, First and D streets.

Towne & Moore, artistic photographers, corner First and Morrison streets.

MEALS 25 cents; first-class, at Knickerbocker, 67½ Washington street, up-stairs.

Choice brands of wines, liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolitan, corner First and Alder.

After the opera is over go to Fred Ernst's for Oysters and Refreshments, Casino building.

Everybody takes coffee at H. Grelle's Bon Ton coffee house and check restaurant, 9 North First.

PERFECT photography in all its branches. Abell & Sons, 29 Washington st. Take the elevator.

REMOVAL.—Ferguson & Davis' hair-cutting headquarters now at No. 60 First St. Every man an artist.

LIGHTNING PROCESS, for children and nervous people, at Abell & Sons, our leading photographers, 29 Washington street. Take the elevator.

FARMSON'S SEWING MACHINE STORE, 167 Third street, Portland, Or.—General agent for the two famous White and Household; dealer in all standard sewing machines, oil, needles, attachments and genuine parts. Machines repaired and warranted.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

YOUNG MEN!—READ THIS
THE VOLTAIC BELT CO., of Marshall, Mich., offer to send their celebrated ELECTRO-VOLTAIC BELT and other ELECTRIC APPLIANCES on trial for thirty days, to men (young or old) afflicted with nervous debility, loss of vitality and manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also for rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, and many other diseases. Complete restoration to health, vigor and manhood guaranteed. No risk is incurred, as thirty days trial is allowed. Write them at once for illustrated pamphlet free.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites IS EXCELLENT IN CONSUMPTION. Dr. ENOCH CALLOWAY, LaGrange, Geo., says: "I have used Scott's Emulsion with wonderful effect in all Lung troubles, also in Debility, no equal in Summer Diarrhoea of children."

The reason why diseases of the bladder and urinary organs are so difficult to cure is that they frequently give no pronounced symptoms. HUNT'S [Kidney and Liver] REMEDY is peculiarly adapted to the cure of these complaints, and goes at once to the seat of the trouble, giving relief at once.

Pond's Extract. "Merit wins" is the motto of Pond's Extract. Those who have used it for Pains and Inflammations have made its merits known.

Throat Diseases commence with a Cough, Cold or Sore Throat. "BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES" give immediate relief. SOLD ONLY IN BOXES. Price 25 cts.

THE VIENNA COFFEE HOUSE, Washington street, ... Oysters in every style

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

ALLEGED DEFALCATION.—James Gilliland, clerk of the district court at La Conner, W. T., has gone to Victoria, and it is alleged that he is a defaulter to the amount of $15,000. Gilliland is an expert telegraph operator, and first went to La Conner some years ago when that place was transfer station, being an employe of the Western Union company. When Judge Lewis came to the bench in the territory he appointed Gilliland to the position which he has until recently filled. Previous to this time he had been much addicted to drink, but this reposing of confidence in him produced a reformation as to his old habits. He soon won the esteem of the citizens of La Conner, and as he interested himself in negotiating loans he was before long entrusted with considerable business. He was also appointed trustee of a large estate and had several other important trusts reposed in him. He bought large quantities of grain from Skagit farmers for San Francisco houses. Some time ago he was authorized by the latter to make large purchases for them. Instead of doing so on their account he bought on his own account, expecting to realize a profit on a rise in price of the grain. The price of grain, instead of going up, went down, and Gilliland soon found himself behind a considerable amount. He tried to make up the deficiency by using money belonging to the estate in his charge, but that was not sufficient. Several months ago he went to San Francisco, since which time the La Connerites mourn his loss from their enterprising town. While in San Francisco he remarked to a man who knew him that he preferred British Columbia as a place of residence hereafter, and by the next steamer he went to Victoria. Many friends of Gilliland do not believe his shortages will mount to as much as at first stated. Some property in La Conner owned by him will cover in part the deficiency. He has a wife and several children who are now in Seattle.

IT DID NOT REACH OREGON.—What citizen of Oregon can help feeling glad that he is a citizen in these days? Yesterday was a glorious spring day, just such as we have been enjoying for a month past. The warm rain of the previous night had brought out the flowers of the primrose and the crocus, the pansy and daisy we have had all winter, and at noon honey bees were at work in the gardens. The weather warm and comfortable, no need of overcoats, the grass growing green and along the edges of the sidewalks the seeds from the maple trees coming up in thousands. In the *Evening Telegram's* dispatches we read "continuance of extreme cold weather in the Mississippi valley." At St. Paul the thermometer was 13 degrees below zero, at Fargo 28 below and so on down to Winnipeg 34 below, and a further drop of the mercury expected. We had three weeks of winter and thought we were frozen in, while at no time did the thermometer anywhere in this vicinity come within 12 of zero. It is no wonder that the St. Paul folks laughed at us for being flurried with the little bit of winter we had. People who live where the mercury freezes and remains solid for months may be excused for doing so, but they could not laugh very heartily—only crack a smile with their frozen cheeks probably. It is wonderful why any people except Esquimaux will live in such places anyhow.

AN INSANE WANDERER.—Hon. M. Yoder of Chehalis, probate judge of Lewis county, W. T., writes as follows to THE OREGONIAN under date of the 15th inst.: "A man who gives his name as Charles Price was brought before me as judge of the probate court on the charge of insanity on the 4th inst. From the best information I can gather he left Portland about the 11th inst. on the steamer Toledo, the Cowlitz river boat, and left it at some point on that river, leaving his trunk on the boat. He wandered from Olequa to Winlock in a dazed condition, arriving in the latter place almost naked and his mind terribly shattered. It seems that he had been at work for Mr. Young in a grist-mill near Stayton, Marion county, Oregon; that he has a wife and four children who left Oregon to go to their former home at Cincinnati, and that they live on Mound street, between Freeman and Ninth. He was adjudged insane and I sent him to the hospital for the insane. I write this in the hope that it may be seen by his friends. If Captain Kellogg of the steamer Toledo sees this and will correspond with me about the poor man's trunk, or if anyone can give me any information concerning it, I shall be pleased. If the trunk is found it may be sent to me and I will see that he gets it. I have written to Cincinnati."

MINISTER TO BE ORDAINED.—On Friday afternoon and evening, February 27, Rev. George H. Lee, pastor-elect of Plymouth Congregational church of this city, will be ordained. A council has been called for this purpose, and, in accordance with Congregational usage, will be composed of the several pastors and delegates from churches of the same denomination whose location is conveniently near. The following churches will be represented by their pastors and delegates: East Portland, Mt. Zion, Oregon City, Forest Grove and Salem. Rev. George H. Atkinson, D. D., Rev. E. R. Loomis, President J. F. Ellis of Pacific university, Rev. W. B. Lee, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Olympia and Rev. E. Turnbull Lee, pastor of the Calvary Presbyterian church in this city, have also been invited to sit in the council, and will assist in the ordination services. The latter two are respectively the father and brother of the candidate. The order of service will be announced later.

K. OF P. ENTERTAINMENT.—Mystic Lodge, Knights of Pythias, have arranged an entertainment for Thursday evening in honor of the age of Pythianism. It has extended invitations to other lodges to be present and has already had acceptances by most of them in this county. At 8 P. M. Mystic will open in usual form, passing rapidly through the order of business until "good of the order" is reached. Then visiting lodges will be received by the chancellor commander of Mystic, with a response by P. C. Alber. H. Tanner, grand orator, and an address by P. C. Misener. The lodge will then be closed in due form, and all will repair to Grand Army hall where the fourth rank will be conferred. A pleasant time is assured and all Knights will receive a hearty welcome. The committee in charge of the entertainment consists of P. C. Buchanon, P. C., Stephens and V. C., Morgan, of Mystic. Phalanx of East Portland, and Castle of this city, have signified their intention of calling in a body.

MUTUAL PROTECTION OF NEWSPAPER CARRIERS.—Last evening a meeting of the carriers connected with the various papers published in this city, was held for the purpose of forming some plan to protect themselves against dishonest subscribers. A person will subscribe for a paper and whenever the collector comes around will keep putting him off, telling him to "call again." The collector does "call again" several times, but never gets his money, and finally has to stop leaving the paper, having lost the price of it during the entire time it has been left. The newspaper beat then subscribes for another paper and gets it free for two or three months more from another carrier, and so on for six or eight months, and even for a year in some cases. The carriers hereafter will have one common "black list," which will have upon it the names of all of the above class of swindlers, and when a man fails to pay one carrier he will never get another paper from any of them without paying in advance.

CHANGING CITY BOUNDARIES.—An effort is in progress to get the city boundaries changed by the present legislature, though the matter has not been made public. It is proposed to cut off nearly a mile from the northern end which was added in 1882, make the northern boundary of the city near the south edge of Guild's lake; to extend the southern boundary about 900 feet farther south, and to take in the hillside south and west of Jefferson street—nearly all of Carter's addition. It is understood that the people living in the South Portland homestead have asked to be added to the city. The time must soon come when several streets will be extended through the homestead, and several men who wished to build homes have asked the city surveyor to tell them approximately where such extended streets would probably run. Of course, this was not possible. If the homestead were added to the city, then there could be official laying out of streets and builders could govern themselves accordingly.

SIX FIRST PREMIUMS FOR OREGON.—In a letter to a friend in this city, Mr. J. C. Swash, one of the commissioners for Oregon at the New Orleans exposition, says: "The judges have made a report upon our fruit, and I for one feel proud of the result. We had only twelve entries and three of this number were ruled out because they were misnamed. This left us but nine entries for competition, and out of this number we carry off six first premiums, as follows: Best collection of five varieties, grown in and adapted to the coast climate, silver medal and $25; best collection of five varieties grown in and adapted to mountain climate, silver medal and $25; best plate of Baldwins, $5; best plate of Blue Pearmains, $5; best plate of Atbley, $5."

AN OREGON COOK BOOK.—The young people of the St. Grael society connected with the First Presbyterian church have prepared a cook book, from recipes obtained from persons in Portland and this neighborhood, carefully edited by Mrs. A. E. Edwards. It is not so voluminous as standard eastern publications of the same sort, and is confined to information about the preparation of all kinds of food obtained in this state, including recipes for cooking for camp life. There is considerable curiosity to observe what Portland can produce in the way of literature that interests people in every station of life. The volume is now in the binder's hands and will be issued early next week.

ASSIGNMENT.—H. M. Hughes & Co., general merchandise dealers at North Powder, Union county, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of creditors. Their liabilities are about $30,000; nominal assets between $35,000 and $40,000. The members of the firm stand high in point of integrity, and it is likely that an extension will be granted by creditors and the firm soon resume business. The many friends of the Messrs. Hughes in this city hope the embarrassment will be only temporary.

MAIL COLLECTION AT 10:30 A. M.—Owing to the temporary change in the time of the mail for the east leaving here, a corresponding change has been made in the time of making collections from street letter boxes, which are now emptied at 10:30 A. M. each day. As it is not expected that this arrangement will continue for long, the cards on the letter boxes will not be changed, but no collection will be made at 3:30 P. M., as heretofore.

AGAINST SUNDAY LIQUOR SELLING.—At a meeting of citizens at Ladd & Tilton's bank yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, a spirited and interesting debate took place on the subject of Sunday sale of liquor, and a committee of five prominent taxpayers of the city was appointed to draft a petition, to secure signatures of taxpayers, and to present the same with appended signatures to the common council as early as possible for their action.

CARS FOR THE THEATER.—It has been suggested that the Washington-street railway put on special cars for the accommodation of patrons to the Casino at the close of the performance. Many desirous of visiting the down-town restaurants, or proceeding via the First or Third-street roads either way, will be accommodated in this way. An understanding between the various companies may result in the movement.

WEDDING.—The marriage of Mr. Robert J. Slater, son of the senator, to Miss Margaret E. Furnish took place last evening at the church of the Holy Redeemer, in Pendleton. Mr. Slater, who is well and favorably known here, is a rising attorney in Pendleton, and his bride is a resident of the same town. A number of congratulatory telegrams were sent the happy couple from this city.

FELL THROUGH A PLATE GLASS WINDOW.—A young man was engaged yesterday morning washing the plate glass windows in front of Goodenough, Walker & Thayer's on First street near Main, when the step-ladder on which he stood fell, crashing through the glass. The young man escaped bodily injury but the window was a wreck as is now the youth, financially.

WHARF CONTRACT LET.—The contract for building a wharf and trestle for the government at Point Adams has been let to E. D. Hoyt of Astoria. His bid exactly tied that of another bidder and they settled the matter by drawing straws, Mr. Hoyt getting the longer one. Work is to commence to-morrow and is to be finished March 18.

THE EAST SIDE.

The report that Matlock would return here is not generally credited.

The revival at the Baptist church will continue during the present week.

The twenty-first anniversary of the order of Knights of Pythias will be celebrated by Phalanx lodge this evening in a becoming manner.

The city contemplates proceedings to compel the Park Railway Co. to remove their track from Fifth and other streets on account of its being a public nuisance.

The "Third Ward H. & L. Co." is now a misnomer, being located in the Fourth ward under the new charter. It will probably receive a more specific name.

The extended time for the improvement of L street, between Ninth and Twelfth, expired long since, and in view of pending litigation no further delay should be permitted.

The bill relating to the East Portland fire department provides that each company shall have a house wherein to hold regular meetings and keep apparatus—a necessity lacking by the First ward company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knott and Miss Mollie Knott have returned from a short visit to San Francisco. Mrs. Fred. Stevens, who accompanied them thither, remains in the hope of benefiting her health thereby.

Messrs. Nicolai, Smith and Gruner being the only members present at the regular meeting of the common council last evening—a quorum being four—adjournment was the only proceeding possible. Of the absentees—councilmen Kindorf, Laing and Wheeler—the last-named was prevented from attending through sickness. Mayor Sanders was also absent.

Y. M. C. A. CONCERT LAST NIGHT.

The fourth entertainment in the members' course, consisting of a vocal and instrumental concert, took place last evening in Y. M. C. A. hall, which was filled with a fine audience. The opening selection, a violin solo by Mr. Edgar E. Coursen, at once captivated the audience, who rapturously demanded an encore. Mrs. Coursen gave "Linda di Chamounix" with unusual clearness and brilliancy of tone, and in response to an encore charmingly sang "My Sailor Lad." Mrs. J. A. Child, who is always a favorite with Portland audiences, next sang "Looking Back" in admirable style, displaying her full, rich voice to advantage. As an encore "A Boy's Best Friend is his Mother" was given, and seldom has this touching ballad been given with more effect. The next selection, a violin solo, "Stradella," by Edgar E. Coursen, was given in grand style, and gained a hearty encore. "Sancta Maria," by Mrs. E. E. Coursen, also won an encore, and "Yes, Sir" was beautifully given. The last selection by Mrs. Child, "My Heart is o'er the Sea," closed one of the finest concerts ever given under the auspices of the association.

Two weeks hence a lecture will be delivered by Rev. P. S. Knight of Salem.

WANTS THE DOCKS LIGHTED.

PORTLAND, Feb. 16.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I suppose the council next Wednesday evening will decide upon the matter of street lighting. The disposition to be economical is truly commendable, and the city is likely to have her streets illuminated very close to net cost. While lighting streets in front of engine houses and public buildings with electricity would be a fine thing if the city had plenty of money, it ought not to be undertaken these hard times. But there should be some kind of a powerful light at the foot of every street between B and Jefferson, to make clear the approach of persons to vessels. Such an arrangement would often prevent loss of life, would tend to expose thieves, incendiaries and vagrants, and be a great public convenience. If electric lights could be secured at reasonable expense, I think taxpayers generally would approve of this much-needed illumination. SHIPPING.

TO-NIGHT'S ORCHESTRAL UNION CONCERT.

Single tickets for to-night's concert of the Orchestral Union at the New Market are to be had at Simon Harris', No. 49 First street. Admission is $1, and to the gallery fifty cents. Following is the programme:

1. Overture, "Merry Wives of Windsor"....Nicolai
2. Cornet duet, "We Two," polka........Faust
3. Waltz song, "La Danza D'Amore"........Mattioza
   Miss Eva Wallace.
4. Symphony in E flat, a minuet, b finale, allegro........Mozart
5. "Hungarian Dances" Nos. 5 and 6....Brahms
6. Serenade (for strings)........Zoeller
7. Song, "Pretty Birds"........Gumbert
   Miss Eva Wallace.
8. Selections, "Il Trovatore"........Verdi

OPENINGS EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.

There are half a dozen thriving new towns in the fertile valleys of eastern Oregon and southern Idaho, among them Ontario, Caldwell, Shoshone and Hailey. Among them can be found right now superb locations for one bank, two machine shops, three flouring mills, one furniture store, one hotel, two saddlery stores, one tannery, one planing mill, and any number of farms to be taken up. The lands are as good as any in the world, producing anything from peaches to the hardiest grains. This is about the last chance to make a move to an attractive new country. Patton & McGee, 10 New Market block, Portland, will supply all needed information.

THE STAGE.

THE CASINO.—To-night, last performance of the "Chimes of Normandy." To-morrow evening, revival of "Prince Methusalem," with several new features. Miss Winston will sing "Comin' thro' the Rye" and "When the Leaves begin to Fall;" Miss King will sing the "Magnetic Waltz;" Mr. Bell will have new "doilets" for his "I's," and Mr. Valerga is down for a ballad. A special matinee Saturday.

BAPTIST REVIVAL.

The twelfth week of the great revival at the Baptist church was begun last night, with hopeful promise of even increased blessing during the week. The house is thronged every night, and the interest profound and solemn, without a shadow of what is known as religious excitement. Bible readings daily from 3 to 4 o'clock, and preaching at 7:30 in the evening. Come and bring your friends. COM.

The ladies of the Taylor street M. E. church will give an entertainment Wednesday evening, February 18. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Wetzel and others. An old-fashioned quilting will be in progress. Refreshments free. Admission 25 cents.

AMONG SAVAGES.

Experience of Some Shipwrecked Mariners Well Known in Portland.

How the Men from the Rainier and One Lady Lived on a Lonely Island for Three Months.

"Here's a gentleman who had an interesting experience as a shipwrecked mariner on a lonely island, inhabited by cannibals," said Robert Buddy, the clerk in Brown & McCabe's office, to an OREGONIAN reporter Saturday, "and you can get a good item from him if he is willing to talk;" and Mr. Buddy, who always takes an interest in helping a news-gatherer out, introduced the reporter to Mr. Owen J. Humphrey, third officer of the Queen of the Pacific, now in port. He was mate of the fine new American ship Rainier, which was wrecked upon an unknown coral reef January 3, 1884, in latitude 4 north, longitude 166 west while on a voyage from Philadelphia to Hiogo, Japan, with a cargo of oil. The story of the wreck, the isolation for three months and the rescue was told freely by telegraph several months ago, but will bear repetition in epitomized form. The Rainier's master was Captain Samuel Morrison, who visited this port in 1883 with his family and made many friends here. Romantic interest is added to the story which follows, from the fact that Captain Morrison's daughter, the wife of Mr. Humphrey, was with the ship when she was wrecked, and went through the suffering and suspense attendant on life among savages for fourteen weeks. And she was a young woman, only 21 years old, and had been married only four months.

THE WRECK AND THE RESCUE.

The ship struck at 9:30 P. M. on the night of January 3d, upon a reef ten miles from the island of Ujae, one of the Marshall group, about 2500 miles southwest of the Sandwich islands. At daylight, two canoes with natives approached the vessel and offered assistance. A boat was lowered, most of the officers' and seamen's personal effects taken aboard, and under the guidance of the natives in the canoes a landing was made upon the island. There were twenty-nine persons all told, including Mrs. Humphrey. The island is only about fifty miles from the beaten track of vessels, and on the 10th of January the long boat with Second Officer Whalen and four men left to find a sail. When eleven days out, they were picked up by the British bark Catalena, bound for Saigon. They were nearly famished, the boat having capsized in a storm and most of the provisions lost. From Saigon, the second officer went to Hong Kong, where he reported the case to the American consul, who induced the commander of the American man-of-war Essex to go to the rescue of the captain and the crew on the island.

Soon after the boat left Captain Morrison commenced building a schooner which was finished in fifty-two days. Taking thirteen men he sailed for a German trading station, Jaluit, 300 miles distant, but was unable to get the vessel back to Ujae. On the 13th of April, Easter Sunday, the Essex arrived off the island and took the shipwrecked party aboard. She then steamed to Jaluit and got Captain Morrison and his men. They were taken to Yokohama, thence took passage to San Francisco.

LIFE AMONG SAVAGES.

Having heard Mr. Buddy mention the word "cannibals," the reporter's first question to Mr. Humphrey was:

"Did the Kanakas ever want to eat you?"

"No, I don't think they would feast on human flesh," answered Mr. Humphrey. "The worst fault I had to find with them was that they would steal. If we had been obliged to take to the boats without our personal effects, I believe they would have killed us. You see we gave them whatever trinkets we had and what clothing we could spare. All of us have thought that we would have been killed anyhow, if my wife hadn't been along. She, of course, like all women, had a great many little trinkets, and these the natives accepted as pay for what food we ate. An earring that cost ten cents was as much to them as a twenty-dollar gold piece."

"But what did you have to eat?" asked the reporter.

"Principally cocoa nuts and bread fruit," answered Mr. Humphrey.

"How did you like your new diet?" further asked the reporter, who by this time was interested and thought of more questions in a second than could be answered in an hour. He felt like a 10-year-old boy who has just got his big "jogefy" and struck his papa in a talkative mood. The reporter had been reared on the plains of Iowa and this was the first time he ever met a man who had actually been through such experiences as Cooper tells so charmingly to boys.

"How did we *like* it?" answered Mr. Humphrey. "We had to like it. No other food could be had. It sustained life and that was enough. At first the bread fruit tasted insipid, but I think that was because we had no salt. We boiled water from the ocean for salt and used that on the fruit and it wasn't long before every one really enjoyed the taste of it."

And what is bread fruit?" was the next question.

"Well, it grows something like a mock orange, on trees which in size and foliage very much resemble our oaks. It is sort of pulpy, and is more like a turnip than anything else I can think of, and has a delicious flavor."

"Any water on the island?"

"Not a drop. We hadn't a thing to drink in three months and a half except cocoanut milk."

"Didn't the first drink of water you took after you were rescued taste like nectar?"

"No, it wasn't particularly refreshing. You see, we had lived so long entirely on another drink that we really craved it and it was the same way with the food. We did not get tired of the monotony."

"How large is the island?"

"It is about a quarter of a mile wide and three-quarters of a mile long."

"And how many inhabitants are there?"

"About 150, all told."

"Did they ever molest you?"

"No, not particularly; only they wanted to steal everything we had. But it was probably because we saved our rifles and had several rounds of ammunition that they let us alone. They had nothing to fight with but spears. They had a lot of German needle guns, but didn't know how to use them, and we took good care not to teach them."

"Where did they get the guns?"

"Oh, from some traders. About once a year a vessel comes to them, and buys dried cocoanut. They scoop out the meat and let it dry in the sun. I suppose they accumulate five or six tons in this way, and the only pay they want for it is trinkets. Gold and silver have no value to them except as ornaments. They get fancy feathers from the traders and use them for decorating their bodies. The principal form of decoration is to tie bunches of short feathers at the wrist, the elbow and near the shoulder. They wear a crown of long feathers very much like Indians."

"What sort of government do they have?"

"A kind of subordinate monarchy. There are two long chains of islands, lying about sixty miles apart. One is the Ralick, the other the Raddick chain. They are about forty miles apart and each chain has a chief king. Then each island has a sub-king under orders from the chief. The island we were on was sixty miles distant from the next one of its chain."

"How do they dress?"

"Like savages. The men wear only a breech-clout made of Pandannis leaves, and the women's dress consists of two mats of the same material suspended from the waist and reaching half way to the knees."

"What is a Pandannis leaf?"

"It is from a tree of the same name which is similar in appearance to a palm. The leaf is about three inches wide, ten to twenty feet long, and very tough. It is also used for making sails for their canoes. Captain Morrison used the leaves for calking the schooner he built. The narrow strips are sewed together with thread made from the cocoa husk. The natives are very deft with the fingers and can twist any size line from the husk."

"Pretty hot down there?"

"Yes, it was nearly at the equator, but the cocoa tree makes excellent shade and we did not suffer excessively. We had all the surf bathing we wanted. The native women are the finest swimmers I ever saw, and they bathe every day. I was very much surprised to learn how clean all the natives were in their personal habits."

"What do they do to keep themselves occupied?"

"Very little. They prepare this cocoanut, and occasionally fish. It is a great sight to see them go out at night for flying fish. They take from sixty to seventy torches, and stay until the last one is burned. One man stands on the outrigger of the canoe, while others counterbalance his weight. The fish, attracted by the light of the torch, fly near, and Kanaka catches them up in a scoop-net and throws them down into the boat. They fly with remarkable swiftness, and it takes considerable strength and skill to catch them."

Mr. Humphrey told a number of little incidents connected with his and his companion's exile, that in the hands of a competent writer would make an interesting book.

"The man that I marry," said Clara, "must be handsome, rich, brave, clever and good-tempered." "But how will you discover that he possesses all these qualities?" "I can see for myself if he is handsome and can easily ascertain if he is rich. I don't so much mind about the others."—Philadelphia Record.

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

WASHINGTON.

A census of Olympia is being taken.

Great scarcity of lumber prevails in New Yakima.

Six new logging camps are to be started up on the Stillaguamish this spring.

Over 600,000 bushels of grain have been shipped from Colfax during the past season.

There are 1,000,000 bushels of wheat on Snake which will be shipped when the water rises.

It is said that the Northern Pacific railroad will build grain elevators at Sprague and Cheney.

The will of the late T. F. McElroy of Olympia bequeaths all his property to his wife and son.

A. C. Allen's barn, near Dayton, with 800 bushels of wheat and 25 tons of hay, was burned last week.

Recent high water has been a great help to loggers on the Sound, and several million feet have been got out.

Eureka Flat claims the largest wheat fields, the deepest soil, the prettiest girls and the fattest babies in Washington territory.

James Gilliland, clerk of the district court at La Connor, is reported as having decamped with $10,000 or more of other people's money.

The Snohomish river steamer Alki, which has been undergoing repairs here for some weeks past, is again ready to resume her old route.

The surveyor general has received from Washington complete copies of the plats and field notes which were destroyed by fire when his office was burned a year and a half ago. These plats make sixty large books, and it has cost an immense amount of labor and a large sum of money to reproduce them.

Colonel Hunton, engineer in charge of construction on the Cascade branch, has made a survey for the great iron bridge to be built over the Columbia at the mouth of the Yakima. It will be three-fourths of a mile long, contains a draw to admit of passage of vessels, and be much superior to the one over the Snake.

The Asotin *Sentinel* is informed "that Chinamen up the Snake river, near Mr. Fisher's ranch, are taking out gold in paying quantities. We hear of a new machine for washing out gold that is peculiarly adapted to the fine dust of our river bars, and which could be worked very advantageously here. The 'burlap system' so much used along the upper river, has proved a success, one man frequently washing out $10 per day."

General R. H. Milroy during the war was presented by the Twenty-fifth Ohio regiment with a beautiful sword valued at $1000. Some time subsequent, while the forces of General Lee were marching toward Gettysburg, this sword was captured from General Milroy's orderly at Winchester. A few days ago the general, who is now in charge of the Fort Simcoe Indian agency, received a letter from Lloyd D. Simpson, a Baltimore lawyer, stating that he had fallen heir to the sword and would forward it to him if he so desired.

A rough estimate of the amount of oats raised in 1884 between the north fork of the Skagit and the farms on the south fork places it at 2000 tons. At $15 per ton, this would make $30,000 to be divided between fifteen or twenty farmers. On the delta there are about 10,000 acres of land, half of which will give 100 bushels to the acre, the other half not falling below 75, when properly dyked and cleared. The production of this region well cultivated ought to reach 800,000 bushels a year, inside of the next ten years. This is but a small part of the fine land in this county.—*Skagit News.*

OREGON.

John H. McCartney, a pioneer of 1851, died near Harrisburg a few days ago, aged 48 years.

The Brownsville Woolen Mills Co. are getting out a lot of cassimeres and flannels for the U. S. penitentiary in Montana, this being the third bill they have furnished that institution.

The miners of Applegate, Sterlingville and Forest creek mining districts suspended operations last Saturday, in order to allow the stream in which the drowning accident occurred last week to become clear and thus facilitate the search for the missing bodies.

O. R. Additon, G. R. Farra, Wm. Pitman and W. B. Chase of Corvallis have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, incorporating the Corvallis Water Company, its object being the construction of water works at that place. The capital stock of the concern is $20,000.

IDAHO.

A correspondent writes: A year ago this month a dense forest occupied the townsite of Murray, so dense that it was with extreme difficulty even a woodsman could make his way through it. There were pines, cedars and tamarack, from 150 to 200 feet high, that formed a canopy overhead and almost shut out the sunlight. The snow was from four to five feet deep, and a more forbidding place for habitation could scarcely be found. Yet in one short year we are enabled to look upon a beautiful transformation. We have a pretty little town of several hundred inhabitants, ten stores of general merchandise, three restaurants, five lodging houses, two wholesale liquor establishments, a bank, two drug stores, several blacksmith shops, two bakeries, a saloon in every alternate building, a brewery that brews the best beer in the north, a Sunday school, no churches, and almost everything else in greater or less degree to make man, woman and child feel at home.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Two Austrians were drowned in Fraser river near Kanaka bar last Friday.

The first through train over the Canadian Pacific road will be started from the eastern terminus August 22d next.

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT, DEADY J.

MONDAY, Feb. 16, 1885.

Dawson vs. L. & D. Barman—Motion to dissolve attachment; hearing continued till Wednesday, with leave to file an affidavit concerning assignment or copy of assignment.

Steinhart vs. L. & D. Barman—Same.

Smith vs. Ewing et al.—Order for provisional injunction issued.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SMITH, J.

State of Oregon vs. John Moore—Fined $200 and costs of prosecution.

State of Oregon vs. James Smith—Arraigned; to-morrow to plead.

William Tillard vs. Western Union Telegraph Company—Removed to U. S. circuit court.

Multnomah Street Railway Company vs. M. M. Harris et al.—Demurrer overruled and defendants have five days to file answer.

Lottie Davis vs. John Davis—Motion to strike out denied.

Lind & Sexton vs. Charles Logus et al.—Motion to strike out complaint submitted.

E. G. Hughes vs. O. R. & N. Co.—Demurrer to answer.

F. K. Arnold excused from further attendance as a juror.

State vs. Ah Hin—Plea of not guilty.

Grand jury present one indictment.

H. Sceneider vs. George C. Sears—Motion for judgment under pleading submitted.

L. Burton vs. J. Harbaugh et al.—Motion to strike out complaint allowed.

Joseph Ward vs. J. W. Murray—Order for writ of review.

COUNTY COURT—STEARNS, J.

Ladd & Tilton vs. H. Y. Thompson—Default and judgment.

C. Harrington vs. Rachel Cornelius et al.—Judgment against plaintiff for costs and disbursements.

Estate of Herman Sternberg, deceased—Final accounts approved and administrator discharged.

PERSONAL.

Dr. A. S. Nichol is very seriously ill of typhoid fever.

Mrs. A. D. Shelby and daughter leave in a few days for California, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

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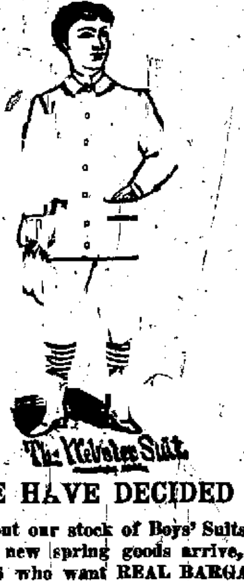

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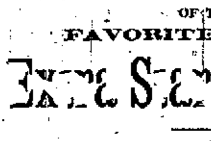

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